TIMES OFFICE
No. 26 Broad St.
Opposite Driard.

Victoria Times.

VOL. 19 — VICTORIA B. C., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1894. — No. 258

That Tickling In the Throat
Is immediately relieved by Jones' Bronchial Tablets. 25c a box at the People's Popular Prescription Pharmacy. 36 Gov't St. Always open.

A BEAUTIFUL RING
Looks well on the finger as everyone knows, and the opportunity to buy one at a price that is satisfactory is quickly taken advantage of by the average individual.

A HANDSOME WATCH
Is even more sought after than a ring, and to a man, at any, rate its services are indispensable. The chance of getting one at a moderate cost is seldom lost nowadays.

THE JEWELERS
Offering golden opportunities just now to all who appreciate the advantage of selecting choice articles from a stock that is large and varied are

CHALLONER & MITCHELL, 47 Government Street.

GOLF CAPES and WATERPROOFS

Arrived per Kingston last night and are on view to-day (Wednesday) 17th inst.

J. HUTCHESON & CO.

The Westside.

"If you want something good go to Gregg's."
You've all heard that before.
Our reputation reaches throughout the province, to the Sound cities, to Portland and San Francisco.
We carry a large reliable stock. We make the art of garment cutting a study. We aim to give every satisfaction to our customers, and we have the reputation of doing so. That's the secret of our success.
A. GREGG & SON,
Merchant Tailors, Yates Street.

C. H. STICKELS . . . . ROOMS: 19 to 22 . . . . Board of Trade Building.
CONSULTING ELECTRICAL ENGINEER & PURCHASING AGENT.
ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES.
Estimates for complete electrical installations, either light or power. House wiring plans and superintendence a specialty. All wiring under my superintendence guaranteed.

Henry Irving
And Ellen Terry
have no trouble in filling a theatre. Ability is the great secret underlying their remarkable success. It is with considerable modesty that I speak of my ability and my success. To begin with, my customers all..... of the easy fitting variety. They tell me my ability lies in buying shoes right, and my success in selling them right. If you want good quality of leather and good quantity of comfort, come to
Wear Shoes
A. B. ERSKINE,
Corner Government and Johnson Sts.

SOME MINOR SHIRMISHES.

Japanese Occupy a Chinese Fort Near Port Arthur After an Engagement.

Chinese Officers Decorated for Their Bravery in the Yalu River Fight.

Shanghai, Oct. 25.—It is reported here that the Chinese have evacuated Port Arthur. A report is also current that the Japanese have effected a landing at Talien Wan bay, on the Corean side of the Kwang Tung peninsula, not far from Port Arthur.

London, Oct. 25.—A Shanghai dispatch says the emperor issued a decree yesterday decorating Major von Hanneken and creating him brevet commander in chief for meritorious conduct in the Yalu river naval action. Several others received the decoration of the peacock feather and a number of others were decorated with the order of one star of the third class.

A Yokohama dispatch says General Oyamas' army corps, which was reported to have been engaged in the battle near Port Arthur, has landed at Seikiosso, China. The Japanese troops which have been operating in the north of Corea have crossed the Yalu river and entered Manchuria.

A dispatch from Wi Ju says the commander of the Japanese forces in Corea reports in his government that on October 24th, with a detachment of 1600 Japanese, he met a body of Chinese at Sukochin, across the Yalu river. The Chinese fled, leaving two cannon and considerable arms. The Chinese lost 20 killed or wounded. The Japanese suffered no loss. The Japanese seized the fort near the scene of the engagement. The main body of the Japanese are now crossing the Yalu river.

The Japanese force which crossed the Yalu river at Sukochin captured the Chinese works with a rush. The Chinese took refuge further down the river. The passage of the main body of the Japanese across the river will probably be made to-day. A report is current that the entire effective Chinese force is entrenched close to the Yalu river on the Moukden road. The main attack of the Chinese will be made on Sunday.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

Call For the Fourteenth Annual Convention Issued by Gompers.

New York, Oct. 25.—The official call just issued by President Gompers for the fourteenth annual convention of the Federation of Labor, to be held at Denver, commencing December 10, contains a long introductory treatise upon the recent railway strikes. Among other things the president says: "The judiciary, yielding to the wealth and bidding of avaricious corporations, has, by the flagrant issuance of injunctions restraining union men from exercising their natural and legal rights and punishing them for contempt, practically flung to the winds the right of trial by jury. The right of the masses of labor to organize for self-protection is placed in jeopardy, the courts deciding our organizations to be conspiracies. For the first time in the history of the country, and in contravention of all constitutional laws and rights, the federal troops, in spite of and against the protests of the state authorities, was sent into several states, ostensibly to maintain interstate commerce uninterrupted, but in truth to overawe workmen engaged in a contest in defence of their rights and to aid their fellow-citizens. These facts must receive our consideration, and in no uncertain tones we must declare our position upon them, and our unceasing effort for their solution and the final emancipation of labor."

The Pennant
—IS HELD BY—
LONDON HOSPITAL COUCH CURE.
COCHRANE & MUNN,
Druggists, Corner Yates and Douglas Sts.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO LET—Two comfortably furnished front rooms. 4 James street. oc24-5t

WOULD YOU LIKE SOMETHING to read? Then take your books to Sampson's Book Exchange, 97 Douglas street, and exchange them. o25-1t

WANTED—Furnished cottage, three rooms, for winter months; rent moderate. H., Times office.

WANTED—Young girl to take care of baby. Apply 97 Toronto street. o25-2t

Just arrived, first car of new season's curing Griffin's Celebrated Winnipeg Meats.
EASTERN PORK AND PROVISION STORE.
13 & 14 City Market, opposite Broad St. Also, fifty small tubs Full Creamery and Choice Dairy Butter. oc25-1mo

Municipal Notice

To-morrow will be the last day but **FOUR** for paying Taxes to entitle persons to a rebate of one-sixth.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Tuesday, October 23, 1894.

CHICAGO'S FINANCIAL TROUBLE

Banks Demand Immediate Repayment of Demand Loans.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—The credit of the city of Chicago was attacked yesterday by a syndicate of local banks, which recently advanced $600,000 as a temporary demand loan, in anticipation of tax collections. Several banks asked immediate repayment of the loan. Comptroller Askerman complied, and now there is no money on hand to meet the October pay rolls. Not only does the comptroller declare that the city has no money to meet its obligations, but he openly asserts that there is none in sight. Since the Kent resolution was passed by the finance committee, casting a cloud upon the authority of the comptroller to borrow money, the banks have made constant demands on the city for repayment. Up to date $300,000 has been returned. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, not enough to meet the payroll, is still on hand, but a great part of that will probably be paid back before the end of the week.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

"Gatling Gun" Howard, Reported Lost, Has Turned Up at Whale Head.

Cartwright Favors the Patron Platform, as Far as it Effects Federal Politics.

Montreal, Oct. 25.—A special dispatch to the Star from Esquimaux Point, on the north shore of the St. Lawrence, states that "Gatling Gun" Howard, who left Gaspe on October 2nd and was reported lost, is alive and well at Whale Head, on the Labrador coast. There had been a dreadful storm, but Howard's party escaped and safely made a harbor.

Toronto, Oct. 25.—The Canadian Farmers' Sun, the Patrons' organ, publishes a long letter received by a Patron in Lennox county from Sir Richard Cartwright, in which Sir Richard, discussing the position of the Liberals, says that in its main features, so far as they affect Dominion politics, he is heartily in sympathy with the Patron movement.

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Rev. Father Chiniquy, celebrated for his preaching against the Roman Catholic church, is at the point of death. He caught a severe cold while returning from Albany, and his age almost precludes recovery.

Toronto, Oct. 25.—A special from Ottawa to the Empire says: "At the present time the suggested removal of the observatory from Toronto to Ottawa is mere newspaper talk."

Quebec, Oct. 25.—Some dozen cases of typhoid fever are reported here, and reports from Huntingdon say that diphtheria prevails there, with several deaths recently.

Cable News.

London, Oct. 25.—The Pall Mall Gazette says: "We are justified in stating that the opposition in the Grand Trunk meeting on October 30th will be strongly supported. Doubts concerning the state of the accounts must be cleared up. The shareholders should support the demand for an investigation." The article further says President Tyler of the road appears to be reaping the fruits of his ambitious policy of amalgamations, leases and guarantees.

In the last few days a number of societies of "socialist workers" have been suppressed throughout Italy and a quantity of documents seized. During the raids on the meeting places of the socialists in Verona five men were arrested for cheering the name of Caserio, the murderer of Carnot.

In the village of Trokh, near Osterovinski, in the Don province, Russia, a lamp was upset, a cry of fire was raised and a panic followed. During the rush for the doors two women and three children were trampled to death and twenty-seven were seriously injured.

The boiler of the French cruiser Arethuse, lying in the harbor of Brest, exploded this morning. Six were killed and twenty injured.

London, Oct. 25.—Details of the earthquake in Sakatay, Japan, say nearly three thousand houses were destroyed and two hundred and sixty persons killed. A large number were injured.

LOOKING FOR AID.

The Northwest Deputation and the Hudson Bay Railway.

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—The Manitoba and Northwest delegates met the government this forenoon at 11 o'clock and discussed Hudson Bay railway. They want financial aid. They will meet again at 2, and will dine with Daly at the Rideau Club to-night.

Premier Davie went to Montreal last night and returned to-day.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

CZAR'S CASE IS HOPELESS

The Royal Sufferer Receives This Intimation With Greatest Bravery.

At Once Orders the Settlement of the Succession to the Imperial Throne.

London, Oct. 25.—A Yalta dispatch says the state carriages, trappings, etc., to be used on the occasion of the marriage of the czarewitch and the Princess Alix, together with the mourning coaches, garments of woe, etc., to be used in the event of the czar's death, have arrived at Lividia.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 25.—A bulletin from Lavidia this morning says the condition of the czar is unchanged.

Berlin, Oct. 25.—A Livlia dispatch confirms the reports that Princess Alix steadfastly refuses to anathematize her former faith in obedience to the rites of the orthodox Greek church. Even the efforts of the czar have not shaken her determination. The swelling of the czar's feet increases, but by the drawing off of water from them the bodily pain is much relieved.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The Russian minister, Prince Cassaccuzene, to-day received the following telegram from the Russian minister of foreign affairs, St. Petersburg: "The emperor had a few hours sleep Tuesday night. During yesterday (Wednesday) he had no drowsiness. His appetite and general disposition is better, but the swelling in the feet is a little augmented. Last Sunday the Emperor received holy communion. (Signed) Giers."

Berlin, Oct. 25.—A St. Petersburg dispatch says the czar heard the intimation of his physicians that his case was hopeless with great bravery. He at once ordered the settlement of the matter of succession to the imperial throne and expressed a wish to bestow his blessing upon the czarewitch and Princess Alix.

BRECKINRIDGE BOOM.

His Friends Expect That He Will Soon be a Senator.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 25.—Col. Breckinridge received an ovation at Mount Sterling yesterday and spoke to a court house full of people, among whom were about thirty of the best ladies of the city. He was met at the depot by about two hundred men who cheered to the echo when he came out of the coach. He was driven to the hotel in a carriage with Judge French, Henry Woodford and Joseph Scott, all prominent citizens. The carriage was preceded by a brass band. The colonel's appearance at the court house was greeted with loud applause. He spoke for an hour and forty minutes, urging all Democrats to vote for Judge Buckner and Joseph Kendall, the short and the long term candidates for congress for the tenth district. Col. Breckinridge's speech contained nothing sensational, but his delivery was so impassioned and he treated the dry political subjects in so eloquent a manner that he was applauded almost continuously towards the close. Were he a candidate for congress from the tenth district Democrats say he would have no opposition. The strength of Breckinridge outside of his own district is remarkable, and his fitness to represent Kentucky in the senate is being more and more discussed.

AN ARISTOCRATIC BURGLAR.

Son of a Multi-Millionaire Ends Up In Jail.

Danvers, Mass., Oct. 25.—Marcus T. Spring has stepped from palace to jail. He was reared in luxury and had all the income five millions of dollars could procure. To-day he is in jail, charged with breaking and entering. He did not give his real name when arrested. He tried to conceal his identity under the name of Joseph Jones. His offence was said to be breaking into the Boston & Maine railway station at Plaistow, N.H. He was arrested at Manchester, N.H., but he was recognized by an old acquaintance. He is the son of Jacob E. Spring, of Danvers. His father made [illegible] and retired to spend his remaining days in Massachusetts. He built Porphyry hall, on Sumner street, one of the most beautiful residences in the country, the building without furnishings costing over $100,000. The structure was purchased by the Xaverian brotherhood in 1863, and is now known as St. John's college. Owing to bad investments Mr. Spring's colossal fortune melted away, and the family were obliged to leave the palace and abide in less pretentious quarters. It is alleged that Marcus is involved in several burglaries.

MARINE TROUBLES.

Steamer Paris in Collision With a Sailing Vessel.

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—The whaling bark Mars, which arrived from the north, reports having been in a gale on September 22nd in Behring Sea and lost three boats. The blow lasted several hours. Severe damage was done to her bulwarks.

London, Oct. 25.—Lloyd's account of the collision of the steamship Paris with an unknown sailing vessel says the vessel was struck off Bishop's Rock and her jibboom carried away, and when last seen was heading for Bristol channel. The Paris was uninjured.

The crew of the Danish schooner Helene, supposed to have perished by the explosion of the vessel's cargo of [illegible] in the North Sea, arrived at Leith to-day in the Helene's boats.

THE RUSSIAN CLOUD.

Troubles Brought About by the Czar's Critical Condition.

London, Oct. 24.—The Daily News has this dispatch from St. Petersburg: The official bulletins do not represent the situation as dark as it really is. The belief is that the beginning of the end has arrived, and that already the czar is dying. There are persistent rumors that the Princess Alix is still fighting a desperate struggle against the fanatical zeal of the orthodox clergy who insist upon her declaring her evangelical faith to be accursed. In the last few days pamphlets have passed through the post-office here summoning the people to demand the political rights which the dying czar has refused to give them. They are signed by a new revolutionary society called the "People's Rights Party."

From Berlin the News hears: "All telegrams from Livadia are sent via St. Petersburg, where they are sifted by the censor.

"The servants who accompanied the Princess Alix from Darmstadt to Warsaw have returned. The Princess found Russian servants waiting her on the imperial train. They began their duties immediately. It was evidently not intended that Germans should get to Livadia and then take back accounts of the true state of affairs."

The Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent says: "Although it is not stated officially, it is declared that the marriage of the Princess Alix and the czarewitch was solemnized to-day. Dr. Grueber, who was called to Livadia, has returned to Charkoff."

The Daily Chronicle learns from Vienna that the failure of the czarina's mental powers has become more marked and her physicians fear serious brain trouble.

The Times correspondent in St. Petersburg says: "It is stated that a French surgeon has been invited to Livadia with a view to an operation which might be possible if one kidney were affected. Prof. Bergmann, of Berlin, is said to have been invited and has declined. It seems true that all the state papers since the 18th have been signed by the czarewitch in the czar's behalf. Dr. von Witte, minister of finance, has telegraphed to the president of the Odessa exchange that he relies on the loyalty of the brokers and others to abstain from all speculation especially in gold purchase, and to adopt measures to prevent the depreciation of roubles and the state funds, even postponing all the gold purchases which are not in immediate necessity.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—At eight o'clock this evening the following official bulletin was issued: "During the day there have been no signs of somnolence. the emperor's appetite and spirits were better. The oedema increased somewhat."

Much comment was excited here to-day by the news that the imperial yachts Polar Star and Tsarevan have been ordered to proceed to Piraeus. These yachts were ordered south some days ago, but soon after leaving Cronstadt were told to return. What the last change of plan means is not known.

An imperial decree issued to-day declares the Grand Duke Michael, third son of the czar, heir apparent to the throne after the accession of the Grand Duke Nicholas. The present heir apparent, the Grand Duke George, the czar's second son, in consequence of the condition of his health, has renounced his right of succession. His death is a question of a few days.

Berlin, Oct. 24.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Kolnische Zeitung says: It is rumored that the czar's physicians have hopes that he will live two or three weeks and consequently have favored the postponement of the wedding.

London, Oct. 24.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily News says: "The excitement of Princess Alix's arrival had a bad effect upon the czar. Private informations concerning the czar's condition is again pessimistic. The weakness of his heart is no better. His insomnia somewhat abated on the 21st and 22nd, but reappeared to-day.

The heartiness of the czarewitch's reception of Princess Alix will silence all unpleasant rumors regarding the marriage.

A dispatch to the News from Odessa says: With the exception of official reports, no telegrams referring to the czar's condition are permitted to be sent from Livadia. Nobody known to be a foreign repoeter is allowed to reside in Yalta, hence the many untrustworthy rumors afloat. In Odessa it was believed on the 21st and 22nd that the czar was dead. The bulletin to-day caused the greatest anxiety and grief. All the members of the czar's family except the Duchess of Coburg are now at Livadia.

The czarina, responding to the telegram of the Paris journalists, said that she was deeply touched by their expression of sympathy.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

England's Failure to Secure Control of Neckar Island.

London, Oct. 24.—Referring to Hawaii's refusal to allow the use of Neckar Island as a landing station for the British Pacific cable, the Post says: "The English policy in the Pacific has never been a success. Now we have to humble ourselves to the Sandwich Islands. Whether the colonies knew that Neckar Island was Hawaiian territory or not when they sent their messages to the colonial secretary in London, they committed a great blunder in making them public. It is largely due to the unusual course of the colonies that we are placed in this unfortunate position. At the same time we cannot agree with the part Lord Rosebery played. By not opening negotiations until the question was debated at Ottawa the premier showed his hand. May be the United States, of whom the Hawaiians appear to be the vassals, would grant permission to purchase the island, but the United States might insert unacceptable conditions which might also conflict with the opinion of the Ottawa government. Altogether the position is a disagreeable one. It is a great pity that Great Britain has been out-manoeuvred."

Toronto, Oct. 24.—A special London cablegram says: "The protest against the annexation by Great Britain of Neckar Island, in the Pacific Ocean, which was to be presented by the combined colonies to the imperial government, will now be allowed to lapse, owing to the failure on the part of the delegates to Hawaii to secure the purchase of the Island."

CALIFORNIA SHAKEN.

Severe Earthquakes in San Diego and Vicinity.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 24.—This city and neighboring towns were visited yesterday afternoon by a series of earthquakes of more than ordinary severity. The first shock occurred at 3.03, and was followed at intervals of a quarter of a minute by two others, the last one being one of the strongest experienced hereabouts since the coming of the Americans. People in brick houses, hearing the startling grind of brick and mortar and in some cases seeing the walls crack, swarmed to the streets. A heavy sound was heard in all parts of the city immediately preceding the quake. Consternation was caused in the public schools, the children in some of the rooms being dismissed hastily. Clocks were stopped and windows and doors were shaken sensibly. The second shock was observed by few people, being very light and coming when all were talking of the firts, but the third was so pronounced as to bring the people into the streets without delay. Telephone messages from Coronado, Upper Otay Dam, Campo, National City, and other places, showed that the quake was felt about equally at all surrounding points. Loose rocks were shaken from the hillsides and rattled down the canyons and a heavy groan or booming noise accompanied the tremors. The weather observer reported another slight shock at 4.25 o'clock, not so strong as the first ones, but quite perceptible. It was not felt on the ground. The waves came in from east to west in all instances. So far as known no damage was done.

WANTS HEAVY DAMAGES.

Report That England Will Demand Indemnity for Nicaraguan Outrages.

New York, Oct. 24.—Dr. Wilfrid Nelson of this city and formerly of Panama, returned from a trip through the West Indies on the Atlas line steamer Alene from Kingston, Jamaica, which arrived to-day. Dr. Nelson said that it was understood in Kingston that England would exact from Nicaragua $7,000,000 indemnity as the outcome of the conduct of the latter country in the Mosquito territory. Nicaragua has entirely ignored the provisions of the treaty of Managua. It was further rumored that England would transport the Mosquitos into British territory; British Honduras being the place selected.

The United States cruiser Columbia was expected to arrive at Kingston two days after the departure of the Alene, which was on October 17. Her Majesty's ship Mohawk was still at Bluefields. In the interior of Nicaragua disturbances of a revolutionary character are frequent.

Costo Rica has succeeded in negotiating in London the loan with which she intends to complete her railroads.

LOOKS LIKE WAR.

Western Traffic Association Favor a Fight With the C. P. R.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—At the meeting of the Western Passenger Association today all the members were in favor of engaging in a fight against the Canadian Pacific railroad on its immigrant business from the seaboard. The representatives of two of the roads said their votes would be subject to approval, but there is no doubt that all the western roads will be in the war on Friday, and a fight on the immigrant business in the other direction is probable, if an agreement is not reached at the conference to be held to-morrow between the western lines and General Passenger Agent Hibbert of the Southern Pacific. A committee will go to New York to specify the trunk lines which would enter the fight. The only stumblingblock in that direction is the New York Central, which is closely related to the Canadian Pacific.

BLYTHE ESTATE ENDED.

Long Legal Fight Over Millionaire Blythe's Will.

San Francisco, Oct. 24.—The long pending litigation over Millionaire Blythe's estate seems to be as good as ended. Probate Judge Coffey ruled today that Florence Blythe Hinckley is entitled to have the property distributed to her as soon as possible. Judge Coffey granted her application for a decree of distribution. A formal decree will be made out immediately. The host of opposing counsel in the case immediately rushed off to the supreme court building, declaring that Judge Coffey had exceeded his jurisdiction and that they would apply for a writ of certiorari. Alice Edith Blythe, who claims to be the widow of the deceased millionaire, still has pending in the superior court an appeal from Judge Coffey's ruling denying a new trial. On this account her lawyers hope to stay the distribution of the estate.

Brown's "★★★ Special" Scotch Whisky is sold throughout the world and is a favorite everywhere.

HORRORS OF WAR.

Rebellion in Corea—Recent Rains Uncover Victims of Ping Yang Battle.

London, Oct. 24.—The Morning Post has this dispatch, dated Chemulpo, Oct. 19: The second force of Japanese left Seoul on the 15th to quell the rebellion of the Tong Hako, who are impeding seriously the pacification of the country, stirring up hatred and revolt wherever they appear. The Japanese are trying to check their agitation and have scattered silver plentifully among the Coreans. It is said that in Seoul alone they have disbursed one hundred thousand yen The road from Seoul to Ping Yang is strewn with the decomposing carcases of horses and cattle. On the battle field of Ping Yang the stench is terrible. Many of the dead Chinese were buried hastily and with only a few handfuls of earth over their bodies. The graves have been washed open by the rains and the bodies are now exposed to the sun, and large numbers of sick Japanese have been brought here in boats by night. Most of them are suffering from dysentery. The arrangements of the Japanese hospitals are very defective. The officers who were present at Ping Yang say that the Chinese infantry cut through the enemy's ranks, but the cavalry was annihilated, the horses sticking in the marshes and going down by the score under the Japanese fire.

TUBERCULIN.

Dr. Koch's Discovery as a Tuberculosis Remedy.

Though Dr. Koch's tuberculin is still used as a means of diagnosis, as was recently mentioned in this column, the characteristic reaction that it gives with tuberculous persons or animals rendering it valuable for this purpose, it is generally considered that as a means of treatment it has been pretty thoroughly discredited. Now, however, we learn from a pamphlet published by a German physician, Dr. E. Thorner, of Berlin (1894), that a few medical men, himself among the number, not terrified by adverse criticism, have continued in their practice to make cautious use of tuberculin since its introduction in 1890 to the present time. Dr. Thorner finds that tuberculin may be safely used, even in the case of patients with fever and advanced pulmonary lesions, provided that the doses be small. He considers that the maximum quantity used for an injection sould never be more than one decigram (1 1-2 gr.) Great caution is necessary, too, that the solution used be absolutely aseptic. In the favorable cases injections are to be continued until all the morbid symptoms have disappeared, and, later on, test injections are advisable. Phthisis, when "quiescent," had better not be treated with tuberculin. Dr. Thorner expresses a hopeful view as to the therapeutical use of tuberculin. He thinks that proper feeding and climatic treatment cannot, in most cases, replace its use altogether, though they may aid in the good effects.

Mr. J. W. Dykeman
St. George, New Brunswick.

After the Grip

No Strength, No Ambition

Hood's Sarsaparilla Gave Perfect Health.

The following letter is from a well-known merchant tailor of St. George, N. B.:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Gentlemen—I am glad to say that Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills have done me a great deal of good. I had a severe attack of the grip in the winter, and after getting over the fever I did not seem to gather strength, and had no ambition. Hood's Sarsaparilla proved to be satisfactory, and I recommend this medicine to all who are afflicted with rheumatism or other

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

afflictions caused by poison and poor blood. I always keep Hood's Sarsaparilla in my house and use it when I need a tonic. We also keep Hood's Pills on hand and think highly of them." J. W. DYKEMAN, St. George, New Brunswick.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, and do not purge, pain or gripe. Sold by all druggists.

RUPTURE

More CURES have been effected by my Trusses, with perfect ease to wearer, than by all other devices combined. They retain largest Rupture under severest strain. A system of fitting has been perfected the last 20 years fully equal to personal examination by mail. 57 patents to overcome DEFORMITY. Ill. book free.

CHARLES ELLIOTT, 251 King St. W., Toronto.

GREAT ENGLISH PRESCRIPTION

A SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE OF 30 YEARS' TRIAL. Has cured thousands of cases of Nervous Prostration, Weakness of Brain, Poor Memory, Dizziness and all diseases caused by indiscretion or excess. Nervous Debility, Sleeplessness, Pain in the Back, Premature Decay, Nervous Headache, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Impotency, Loss of Power, Lost Manhood, Wakefulness, Nervous Irritability, Nervous Weakness, Blotches, Emissions, Spermatorrhoea, Seminal Weakness

BLACK ART IN WASHINGTON.

Alleys Where Mortals Who Enter Leave Hope Behind.

The loftiest civilization and the lowest features of the time when the world was young meet in Washington as elsewhere. Here there is a well endowed college for the education of the negro, and there are men and women of color, equivalent in mind and polite usage to the best trained in society, but here are also the most ignorant of the negro race.

Like all people nearly related to their barbaric ancestry, certain classes of the negro race are as secretive as they are ignorant. This is certainly true of the blacks of certain sections of Louisiana and the Sea Island plantations off the Carolina and Georgia coast. In these communities the worship of the evil spirit and voodooism is alive. From there these African rites have been transplanted to Washington. The serpent enters into the incarnation of the savage or semi-civilized peoples. The lower castes of East Indians will not kill the cobra, because it is the impersonation of evil, and has the power of almost instant death. The Zuni snake worshippers and the Navajoes of New Mexico believe the same thing. The creed of these races—so far apart and different in all else—is shared by the Congo African and his descendants in cultured Washington.

There are about a dozen high priestesses of the worship of the evil spirit and concomitant voodooism in the capital. Only four of them are of the highest order of their faith, for the successful "lumjer woman," as these "witch doctresses" are called by the Virginia negro and that of the older South Atlantic States, must be a person of remarkable natural gifts. The gifts are possessed by women oftener than by men. The professors are in the prime of life, and in perfect physical condition. They reside in the labyrinthine alleys of Washington, and the most remarkable of them is at times found in Freedman's alley, and at others in Blood alley. Neither of these alleys is safe for a respectable white man. But should he be known as an acquaintance of the "witch woman," he could be as safe in both as if he were guarded in a square of infantry.

It is not easy to meet one of these voodoo women. They have much respect for the law, and think that every unvouched-for white man is a detective. Big Mary lives in Freedman's alley. Should a stranger go there, escape murder, and ask for Big Mary, every negro would instantly declare that he knew no such person. A mutual acquaintance will procure an interview immediately. Her house is not impressive from outside. Within, it is fairly clean and decorated for theatrical effect. There is a skull on a stand. From a corner comes a shrill buzz. A city man may think the noise odd. A man accustomed to the forests and canebrakes of the south would recognize the "burr" of the crotalus horida, the great southern yellow rattlesnake.

The snake in Big Mary's house is almost six feet long. It has an arrow shaped black head, and eyes glittering, cold, and full of awful hatred and cunning. Mary stands over it a moment, seizes it by the middle and holds it writhing at her arm's length. It is surrounded by a coil of horsehair rope, woven and plaited like the riata of the Mexican vaquero. Every scout and prairie man knows that nothing will make a rattlesnake crawl over that line of horsehair. The negroes in the alley are in awful fear of this snake, and sensibly; but it is only part of the voodoo "properties." The old brick shanty might be filled with gold and left unwatched. Negroes would as soon enter the bottomless pit as that shanty. Mary is a mind reader. "I kin tell yo' what yo' ah thinkin' ob, ef yo' gives me yo' han'," she says. The hand is held by her a moment, a mild electric current is felt, and she tells the truth. Imagine the impression that this mind reading, accompanied by the look of the rattlesnake, must have on the mind of the ignorant visitor!

Mary has herbs from the far south, the peculiar qualities of which are only now becoming known to northern physicians and pharmacists. One is a preparation of cotton root which will destroy foetal life. Another is a concoction of the nightshade—"wild parsnip and stramonium—most dangerous, if not carefully handled. She deals, too, in a most effective aphrodisiac. It is not surprising to learn that her acquaintances are not limited to people of her own race.

Another voodoo of a different type is a tall, lithe and graceful mulatto. She is half Spanish, a native of Puerto Rico, and not more than thirty years old. She has blood of Spanish conquistadores in her veins, if she tells the truth. Her figure is one that any woman of fashion would give a small fortune to possess. She has the graceful carriage acquired by conveying water jars and pails on her head. She came here from Key West. She speaks Spanish, although she knows French and English. She is a good mind reader, a hypnotist of power and knows the qualities of plants and herbs.

She understands the preparation and use of the loco, the most infernal of all herbs. Prepared properly it may be given in a cup of tea, for it has a slightly aromatic taste. In six weeks' time whoever drinks it is dead. A person who takes it suffers no pain, but becomes dull, incapable of fixing the mind upon anything, and falls into inanition, without sentient life, until death. How often it has been given to persons in the way of ambitious heirs, to rivals in business or love, and to husbands, God alone knows! But every physician of Mexico, Cuba, Puerto Cica, Martinique and Louisiana knows its peculiar effect. In Mexico it is a penal offence to sell the drug. In Cuba the punishment is the garrote. Here the faculty knows it only by hearsay. To the average New York physician the pale green absinthe like liquid, in a small, cut glass bottle—once a perfumery bottle, evidently—would be a curiosity.

Dolores Joaquina is not communicative about her business. She keeps her own counsel. She is equipped with the regulation "properties" of dealers in the black art. She has a three foot alligator, and, on a perch, a horned owl, which opens its great cat like eyes, snaps with its powerful beak, and shrilly shouts. On a shelf among curious images hisses, louder and more acutely than a goose, the serpent known in Louisiana as a bull snake. It frequents old buildings and lives upon rats, mice and an occasional young chicken. It belongs to the constrictor family. It bites, and fiercely, but has no poison fangs. Its long, sharp teeth, curving backward, make an ugly wound. It is beautifully spotted, in black and yellow squares, and is usually from six to eight feet long.

"That snake keeps the place clear of water bugs, mice and rats, I suppose," the visitor says.

"Yes, and by a certain call I can make it come to me. It is the feeding call," she replies, and makes a low, hissing noise. The snake climbs down the carved back of the shelf, rears its head about a foot from the floor and drinks milk in swallows from a vessel.

This woman's stock in trade is fortune telling, but not much of this. "It does not bring money enough for me," she says. Her chief income has come from the sale of love powders, and "puttin' under spells," or conjurin'. The person desiring the spell receives a small image of a man or of a woman. This is stuck full of pins and placed under the head of the victim's bed. What happens? Sometimes nothing. The cunning "conjur" usually happens to have the "conjured" one informed of the spell cast upon him or her.

There is no terror equivalent to the fear of being conjured. So a second fee is usually in removing the spell. The fees are high, $10 being the usual figure for casting the spell and removing it.

Oscar I. Dunn was lieutenant-governor of Louisiana when Wagmoth was chief executive in 1869. He was of pure negro blood, well educated, a Jamaican, and it was rumored among the negro members of the legislature then sitting in New Orleans that he was conjured, and would die on the night of the 15th of the month. He laughed scornfully, saying, "You don't think I believe in such superstitions as this," to friends who wanted Marie Lavaux—the greatest Voodoo queen of her time—consulted. He had a powerful frame and was about 40 years old. His friends became uneasy as the middle of the month approached. On the fatal night three of them insisted on sleeping in the same room with him.

He appreciated their solicitude, but said that it was needless. They remained with him until midnight, and then escorted him to his house. Adjoining his sleeping room was another, connecting by folding doors. In this room was a bed. The friend who was most anxious said: "I will sleep here if you will let me." "Certainly," Dunn cordially responded, "I will be glad to have you." They went to bed. It was almost 1 o'clock. The friend had first fallen into a sound sleep, when he was startled by what he thought was a shout from Dunn. He sprang up in time to hear him groan heavily. Badly scared, he lighted the gas in both rooms and went to Dunn's bed. He was dead. His face was distorted and one of his hands was bleeding. There was nothing upon which it could have struck.

The death made a profound sensation. Two of the chief physicians of New Orleans—one of them had been medical director on the staff of Gen. Beauregard during the war—examined the dead man. They found the brain normal and no sign of apoplexy or of heart disease. They never would say, if they knew, of what the strong man died.

Under the bolster on which Dunn had been sleeping for six months the terrified negroes found a little waxen image, with pins stuck through the head and body, a slip of paper, on wich was written in a very fine, faint hand, in French, the words, "O. I. Dunn will surely die on the nightof the 15th." The mystery of his death has never been solved.—Washington correspondent Buffalo Times.

SIR MORELL MACKENZIE, M. D.

COURT PHYSICIAN TO EMPEROR FREDERICK OF GERMANY.

The subject of this sketch is better known, no doubt, to the world at large than any other member of the medical profession. Among the many noted physicians of the Old World perhaps there is not one whose opinion on nervous affections is more highly regarded. He says: 'I have much pleasure in stating that I have used the "Vin Mariani" (Mariani wine) for many years, and I consider it a valuable stimulant.' 'Vin Mariani' is a tonic containing the medicinal properties of two ounces of fresh, selected coca leaves, equal to thirty grains to a wine-glassful; and is the greatest invigorator of body and brain known to the present generation. No other remedy has ever drawn forth such strong expressions of approval from so many celebrated people from all parts of the world. If you will send a stamp to Lawrence A. Wilson & Co., Montreal, the Canadian agents for 'Vin Mariani,' you will receive a little album of celebrities, who have testified to the excellence of 'Vin Mariani,' free of charge.

How to Get a "Sunlight" Picture.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers (wrappers bearing the words "Why does a Woman Look Older Sooner Than a Man?") to Lever Brothers, Limited, 43 Scott street, Toronto, Ont., and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market, and will only cost 1c. postage to send in wrappers, if you leave the end open. Write your address carefully.

RIGBY

This is the season when we properly appreciate a warm, comfortable, porous waterproof coat. Everybody is asking for "Rigby."

DOCTORS DIFFER

Occasionally, but never on the question of "HEALTH BRAND" Combinations being absolutely the best thing for women and children to wear.

Every first-class dry goods house keeps them. Look for the word "Health" on silk label at neck.

Buy no imitations.

THE MONTREAL SILK MILLS CO., Ltd. MONTREAL.

Something Substantial

Can be obtained at WEILER BROTHERS, in

ROCKING CHAIRS

The Best of the kind that money can buy. Come and prove it to your own satisfaction.

WEILER BROS., 51 to 55 Fort Street.

FOURTEEN HOURS IN THE SEA.

The Experience of a Young Englishman Who Tried to Swim Ashore.

With nothing but a life preserver between him and certain death, George Moore, of Bristol, England, spent 14 hours in the Atlantic Ocean, off Cape Henry, on Sunday, July 22. Moore's case, which was brought to the attention of Commissioner of Immigration Delhanty yesterday by Captain Wiley, of the schooner Cactus, is both remarkable and pathetic.

Moore is 18 years old. He decided to steal his passage from Liverpool to America, and secreted himself in the hold of the steamer Templemore, of the Johnston line. Here, amid the suffocating heat, he remained in hiding for nine days. He was discovered by one of the sailors when three days out, but instead of informing the captain the sailor took pity on the youth and gave him some bread and water when possible. Moore's rations, however, were short as the sailor did not dare to run the risk of being caught offering succor to a stowaway.

When nine days out one of the engineers discovered the stowaway and quickly informed the captain. When Moore was brought before the captain he was threatened with imprisonment when the ship reached Baltimore; also with the treadmill upon being returned to England. The thoroughly frightened youth was finally put to work, and given some bread and water.

Possibly imprisonment in two countries was not a very desirable outlook for the young Briton. At first there seemed to be no way of escape, but as the Templemore stood off Cape Henry in the early morning of July 22, Moore mistook the headlights of several sailing vessels for lights on the coast. Being a good swimmer he concluded that he could escape by jumping overboard and swimming ashore. To think was to act. He hunted the deck over until he found a life preserver. He next took off his shoes and tied them to the preserver. Quickly getting his head and shoulders through the preserver he jumped into the ocean. Instead of swimming toward the shore he went in the opposite direction, and when daylight came there was nothing to be seen of land.

His position was perilous in the extreme; death at any moment seemed certain. The sea was rough and wave after wave rolled over his head. His endurance was remarkable considering the fact that for nine days he had had barely food and water enough to sustain life. He swam and floated on and on for 14 hours, until at last, when it seemed as if every moment would be his last, he was seen by the lookout on the steamer Cactus, bound from Baltimore to Boston. Captain Wiley of the Cactus, lowered a boat and sent four of his men to the rescue. Moore was completely exhausted, and fainted when placed in the bottom of the boat. His head, face and neck were badly scorched, as he had no protection from the July sun. Captain Wiley is proud of Moore's achievement, and is so well pleased with his pluck that he has shipped him before the mast.

Yesterday Moore looked none the worse for his experience. Several good nights' rest and substantial food have put him on his feet, and he now laughs at what would have been certain death for one of the lower stock of vitality.—Boston Herald.

DRINK

TAMILKANDE TEA : :

Far and wide its fame is spreading
Over village, over city;
Household words from brd Atlantic,
Unto shores of vast Pacific."

THE PEOPLE'S TEA.

IN LEAD PACKAGES.

TAMILKANDE.

SIMON LEISER & CO., Agents.

Gold and Silver Extraction.

The Cassel Gold Extracting Co., Ld., of Glasgow, (the MacArthur Forrest Cyanide Process),

Is prepared to negotiate with mine owners and others for the extraction of the above metals from the most refractory ores and to treat and report on samples up to one ton in weight sent to its EXPERIMENTAL WORKS, VANCOUVER.

All communications to be addressed to W. Pellew Harvey, F.C.S., Assay and Mining Office, Vancouver B.C.

All kinds of assay, analytical and mining work undertaken. je22

FOR SALE!

TWO LOTS, 60x120 feet, and large five-roomed Dwelling, with every convenience, situated at the north-east corner of Fort and Vancouver streets. For particulars enquire at 114 Yates street. oct5-2w

THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."
THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."
THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."

AMUSEMENTS.

A.O.U.W. Hall, Yates St.,

Finest and best equipped Hall in the city for Concerts, Balls and Socials.
FINE STAGE,
LARGE GALLERY,
ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF,
PROPERLY VENTILATED,
ELECTRIC LIGHTS.
Open for engagements after 5th October next. ALSO TWO LARGE LODGE ROOMS.
Apply to G. Leiser, Thos. Haughton, J. D. Warren, Hall Committee.

HOTELS, ETC.

NOTICE.

The Hotel Victoria

Now being under the management of Mr. E. Escalet, is being conducted on strictly first-class principles. Everything being in first-class style, especial attention is paid to the cuisine. Every delicacy of the season will be supplied, while the stock of Wines is of the finest French Vintage.

You Make No Mistake

When you patronize the AMERICAN HOTEL, Yates Street. Open night and day. Good Lunch. The best of everything.

JAMES WISHART.

October 24th, 1894.

OYSTERS!

—AT THE—

LOUISVILLE OYSTER HOUSE,
OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.
Recently Opened. First Class Style. Day & Night

TRANSPORTATION.

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO'Y

Dispatch a steamer

Every 5 days for San Francisco

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails
FROM OUTER WHARF AT 8 P.M.

Walla Walla - - - Oct. 25

R. P. RITHET & CO., Agents.

General Steamship Agency.

THROUGH TICKETS

To and from All European Points

From Montreal.

Allan Line, Numidian	Nov. 3
Allan Line, Parisian	Nov. 10
Dominion Line, Vancouver	Nov. 3
Dominion Line, Oregon	Nov. 10
Beaver Line, Lake Nepigon	Nov. 7
Beaver Line, Lake Superior	Nov. 14

From New York.

Cunard Line, Lucania	Nov. 3
Cunard Line, Etruria	Nov. 10
White Star Line, Germanic	Nov. 7
White Star Line, Tuetonic	Nov. 14
American Line, Paris	Nov. 7
American Line, Berlin	Nov. 14
North Ger. Lloyd, Elbe	Nov. 3
North Ger. Lloyd, Lahn	Nov. 6
Red Star Line, Pennland	Nov. 3
Red Star Line, Noordland	Nov. 7
Anchor Line, Anchoria	Nov. 3
Anchor Line, Circassia	Nov. 10
Allan State Line, California	Oct. 26
Allan State Line, Nebraska	Nov. 22

Saloon fares from $40 to $90, according to steamer and location of berth. Second cabin, $25 to $40. Steerage, $10 to $25. Passengers purchasing through tickets save from $5 to $10 on each fare. Parties wishing to send for their friends can save $10 by purchasing through tickets here. For sailing list, steamer accommodation and all information, apply to

GEO. L. COURTNEY,
General Agent, Victoria.
Cor. Fort and Government streets.

Co-Operation.

The British Columbia Industrial Co-Operative Association is founded on the basis of productive and distributive co-operation. It is a combination of laborers of various trades and professions, for their physical, intellectual, social and moral improvement, both directly and indirectly. By combining the surplus earnings of its members in one common fund, the Association will provide them with permanent employment at good wages, with living at actual cost.

All persons wishing to join can obtain further particulars by addressing

JOHN DODD,
Nanaimo, B. C.

jel-tf-d&w

My Annual Importation of DUTCH BULBS

Have arrived from Holland, and are very fine. Also very fine Lawn Grass Seed. This year's crop.

WM. DODDS, Florist and Seedsman
127 Fort Street. oct2-1m

VETERINARY.

S. F. TOLMIE,
VETERINARY SURGEON,
Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Med. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Wende, V.S., Buffalo, N.Y.) Office at Bray's Livery, 109 Johnson Street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417, Victoria, B.C.

ARCHITECTS.

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue.

PHYSICIANS

DR. ALBERT WILLIAMS,
Late of London, Eng. General family and obstetric practice, with special attention to diseases of children and diseases of the chest and stomach. Over twenty-five years' professional experience. Many years a member of the British Homœopathic Society, British Gynæcological Society and Pathological Society of London. Dr. Williams may be consulted at all hours at his office and residence, 94 Pandora, near Quadra street, city. Telephone 153. jul2-tf

LAWYERS

A. L. BELYEA,
Barrister and Solicitor.
Rooms 4 and 5, Board of Trade Building, Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C.

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSEN, CITY SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders, and prices reasonable. Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets. Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. Telephone 184.

JULIUS WEST, GENERAL SCAVENGER, successor to John Dougherty. Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, will be promptly attended to. Residence, 50 Vancouver St.

SOCIETIES.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of the Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS.
Court Vancouver No. 5785, A. O. F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Forester' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE,
No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, cor. Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
C. DUBOIS MASON, Sec.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE,
No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
R. A. BROWN, Sec.

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN
Society meets in their own Hall, Blanchard Street on the first Friday of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
E. C. SMITH, Sec.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A & W. WILSON,
PLUMBERS AND GASFITTERS,
Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Shipping supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B. C. Telephone call 138

DENTISTRY.

DR. A. C. WEST
Surgeon Dentist,
Office Rooms: 1, 2 & 3, Adelphi Block Corner Yates and Government Sts., Victoria, B C.
Dr. West calls particular attention to the Chase Metallic Roof Plate, which is the best denture ever devised and for which he is the sole licensee for B. C. Its points of superiority are—lightness, strength, conductivity, and perfect adaptation, thus giving it all the advantages of an all gold plate with none of its disadvantages, and at a price within the reach of all. To examine a specimen plate will convince at once the truth of the above assertions. All dental work performed carefully and skilfully. Teeth extracted absolutely without pain by the use of a local anæsthetic. my17-d-w

MUSICAL.

PROFESSOR GILES, Teacher of Piano and Organ, is prepared to receive pupils. Special terms for children. Lessons given at pupils' homes if preferred. Residence, 50 Work street, Rock Bay. sep26-1m

SITUATION WANTED.

FOR WAITING ON TABLES at balls, weddings, and private parties, or getting up suppers, making tea and coffee, etc., apply to Mrs. Blackmore, 113 Blanchard St., or Watson & Hall, 55 Yates St. oct18-tu

A YOUNG ENGLISH PERSON desires occupation; musical, fancy or plain needlework; would travel as companion. Address Omega, postoffice, Victoria. o23-3t

TO LET.

WANTED—To rent, an 8-roomed house, warm and with modern conveniences. Address, stating lowest rent and giving number and street, "Captain," Times office. o10-tf

TO LET—Rooms for light housekeeping at 63 Superior street. s14-tf

EDUCATIONAL.

VICTORIA COLLEGE,
BEACON HILL PARK,
(LATE CORRIG COLLEGE.
The Leading Day and Boarding College for Boys north of San Francisco. Modern and fully equipped college buildings, fronting on the Park and Straits.
First-class Teaching Faculty—British University Graduates, University, Professional Commercial and Modern Courses.
Boarders [illegible] football, cricket, athletics, etc. For spring term entrance apply
PRINCIPAL J. W. CHUCH, M.A.
6s13 s,m,tf;w 1y]
Autumn term begins MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, 1894.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED—An office boy wanted. Apply at 162 Douglas street. oct25-1f

WANTED—A lad to act as messenger boy in an office. Must be able to write legibly. Small salary. To apply in own handwriting to drawer A, Times office. oct23-2t

WANTED—Young girl to assist in light housework. Apply 147 Chatham street. oct23-2t

WANTED—A young woman to cook and do general housework (must have references). Apply to Mrs. Shotbolt, Foul Bay, or to 59 Johnson street. o22-3t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Columbia River boat, length 25 feet, beam 7 1-2 feet, centreboard; large house which will accommodate four comfortably, suitable for hunting or prospecting; new stove with oven; oars, mast, new lug sail, anchor, chain, etc; is very fast, safe and in first-class condition. Owner having no use for her will sell for $100. Apply Wm. Christie, Telegraph office. oct16-1w

FOR SALE—A SNAP. Two fine lots corner of Jubilee avenue and Oak Bay avenue, 135x120 @ $700 for the two; adjoining lots sold at $600 each. A. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE Two 2-story houses 5 rooms each and lots to each house 36x120 on Frances avenue. Price reduced from $1,300 to $850 each, payable $10 cash and $5 per month. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—Lot 13 on Russell street, Victoria West; splendid view of the straits and close to the tramway. Apply to Ewen Morrison, Rock Bay Lumber Yard. s19-tf

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—A pearl, emerald and diamond brooch last evening between Rockland Road and the drill hall. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to W. A. Ward, Temple Building, Fort St. (Colonist copy) oct23-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

BLACK SOIL For flower gardens and lawns; $1 per load. Apply to Russ Humber, 45 Gorge road; telephone 527. o20-1w

ASK YOUR GROCER or Telephone 241 for Paragon Safety Oil. o12

The Daily Times.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1894.

THE BRITISH FARMER.

The nonsensical utterances of eastern protectionist sheets has had the effect of drawing from Stapleton Caldecott, the well known Toronto merchant, the following crushing rejoinder. Two conclusions are to be drawn from the letter, that free trade is not really responsible for the British farmer's woes, and that a change back to the abandoned corn law system would be a suicidal action, which none but a crazy protectionist could think of suggesting:

Sir—I have read your article upon "Free Trade and Farmers," and also Mr. Lukes' advertisement, in which in consequence of severe competition he has decided to close the Beaver mills for a time.

Permit me to put in some rebuttal testimony as to the severe depression of farming interests in England. I have just received a letter from a cousin of mine, who has a farm of about three hundred acres in extent, in which he says "the time for raising wheat in England has passed, but for mixed farming and for cattle-raising the prospects are good, and to-day stock farms or dairy farms are eagerly sought after." This gentleman's farm is in the county of Shropshire. Another cousin of mine, who has a farm of equal extent in Herefordshire, visited me here in Toronto a few months ago, and he told me he cleared nearly $2000, i.e., $10,000, last season from his farm; he had no fears for the future; he recognized the fact, though he is a strong Conservative, that the farmers of England cannot raise the food needful to keep the people of England, and that therefore the commercial supremacy of the country demanded cheaper food, and he said what he wished to see was not protection for the farmer, which, like Lord Salisbury, he admitted could never again become law in England, but the putting down of land to its real value and then fixing a fair rental upon that basis. He further told me he himself sold a small farm for £4000, i. e., $20,000, and the party to whom he sold it has resold it for enormous rent, and when land is placed at its real market value the English farmer will occupy a grand position, because of the cheap goods and of the near market, and will realize with other industries the blessing that come from living in a country of free speech, free thought and free trade.

THE OTHER "FAMILIAR."

It is rather amusing to be told of a "demon of indefiniteness" dogging Mr. Laurier's footsteps on his western tour. Nevertheless the Montreal Star has conjured up a fiend of this description from the depths of its imagination, with the aid of the sundry other imaginations of equal fertility. Of course the Colonist with avidity lays hold of the Star's "bogey talk" and adds a little of its own weak imaginings to complete the horrible tale. This round of mutual comfortings among the protectionist organs is intensely edifying. First the eastern members of the brotherhood shout incoherently to the effect that Mr. Laurier is too indefinite, then the organs further west repeat the cry as the Liberal leader arrives in their respective localities. From the Pacific shore the echo of this extremely parrot-like clamor reaches the ears of the far-east organs and they take take it up as something new, whereas it is but a repetition of their own nonsense. This is a funny performance, indeed, but the absurdity grows when the Star's double repetition is once more repeated with owl-like gravity at the Pacific coast and the Star's endorsement of the western organs' false clamor is paraded by those organs as new and fresh testimony. The Star is probably not deceived, for it has intelligence enough to know that the talk of Mr. Laurier's "indefiniteness" in the west comes not from any independent source but from people whose great object is to belie and misrepresent Mr. Laurier and to prevent the Liberal party from securing to the people the relief they need. The western people are quite acute enough to know that no demon of indefiniteness dogged Mr. Laurier's footsteps; they understood his position perfectly and are prepared to give him their support. They have also become so widenwake that they can perceive the real demon of Boodle which looms up behind the Star and the Colonist and their friends. They are better able than before to appreciate the Tory method of bleeding them for the benefit of the favored few, and to appreciate Mr. Laurier's proposal to put an end to this bleeding. It was of this process Dalton McCarthy thus spoke the other day in a speech to Patrons of Industry: "He quoted statistics to show how improbable it was that Canada could ever be a manufacturing country to supply other nations than her own. Everyone of them had to pay upwards of 25 per cent. more for articles they consumed and used than they would if the national policy were abolished. Of ever hundred people in Canada eighty-two were consumers and eighteen were manufacturers. The eighteen were carrying on business at the expense of the remainder. They were not going to make Canada a great country by conducting it on agricultural or on any other class line. But when Patrons saw that this government was practically a manufacturers' government he did not wonder that they associated themselves together to get fair play." When the people are listening to and profiting by such teachings from a formerly earnest upholder of the N. P., they are not likely to trouble themselves much about the organic howl of "indefiniteness." Perhaps Mr. McCarthy will also be accused of allowing a "demon of indefiniteness" to dog his footsteps.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Colonist talks about the trade of Great Britain having fallen off, and professes thus to have found a parallel for Canada's case. In point of fact the board of trade returns show that Great Britain's trade in the first eight months of this year was twelve millions of dollars greater than in the corresponding [illegible] has decreased almost as much. Where is the parallel?

The Toronto Globe thus sums up the political situation: "The next Dominion general elections will be fought under new conditions. There are great rifts in the Tory party. Dalton McCarthy and Col. O'Brien are in revolt. The party is very weak in leadership in Quebec. In the west the tide of popular feeling is running strongly against the policy of restriction and high taxation. Laurier's visit to British Columbia, the Territories and Manitoba had a profound effect, and as a consequence all the dissatisfied elements of these provinces are a unit against the administration. The common opinion in the west is that the Liberals or Patrons will carry every seat in the Northwest and Manitoba, and in British Columbia, which is now solid for the government, three seats will be carried by its opponents. In the next contest the government will have to fight a very hard battle in many [illegible] regarded as Tory preserves. Sir John Thompson's government cannot survive an appeal to the people."

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

POLITICS IN NEW YORK.

A Crank Calls on the President—Hill's Position.

New York, Oct. 25.—A crank named Goestbler called at the residence of Dr. Bryant where Cleveland is stopping today, and demanded in noisy tone to see the President. The butler told him the President could not be seen but he persisted and Dr. Bryant was summoned. He finally persuaded the crank to leave. He is the man who some years ago wrote to Emperor William challenging him to a duel. Dr. Bryant says the President will leave for Washington this afternoon.

No endorsement of Hill's candidacy has so far been received at Democratic headquarters from the President. Senator Faulkner left for Washington to-day, having failed to bring about a reconciliation between the Democratic factions of the congressional candidates. Hill speaks at Long Island city this afternoon, and in Cooper Union to-night. He leaves for Oswego to-morrow. When Hill was asked if he expected to hear from Cleveland to-day he said, "I really cannot tell."

Republicans are elated over the fact of Harrison's consent to deliver a speech here at Carnegie music hall on Wednesday night. Harrison said to-day that in his speech he would deal only with national questions. Speaking of the political situation Harrison said the current everywhere is in favor of the Republicans. McKinley is also stumping New York state.

THE STRIKE LEADERS.

Demurrer to the Government's Petition Overruled.

St. Louis, Oct. 25.—In the U. S. circuit court yesterday Judge Phillips overruled the demurrer to the government petition in the strike injunction against Eliott, Debs, the American Railway Union and others. Judge Phillips said that by the interstate commerce law every compact or combination in restraint of commerce between the states is declared illegal. Congress has invested the several courts of the United States with power to restrain violations of the act, and it is the duty of the district attorney to institute proceedings for this purpose and it is expressly provided that he may do it in a court of equity and that the court may make such restraining order as the case may require. "It was clearly within the power of congress," said the judge, "to do this, and surely the law is a very imperfect instrument if there is no way to stop persons who threaten to burn down houses and involve a whole city in tumult and agitation. And there is a practical reason for invoking the aid of a restraining order. Most of the persons who do this are professional agitators; they are not responsible, and there is no way of holding them accountable pecuniarily for the result of their acts, imprisonment having been abolished and cruel and unusual punisment being forbidden. If the defendants take no further action by to-day the injunction will be made final.

PERSONAL.

Sheriff Hall, of Vancouver, is in the city.

Joseph Hunter is in Ottawa on a business visit

Robt. Hamilton, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

J. E. Moore, of Alkali Lake, is at the Oriental.

Hon. Justice Drake returned from the Mainland last evening.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge was a passenger last night from Vancouver.

Charles E. Jones is spending ten days with his brother at Walla Walla.

W. B. Dunning of the United States navy, who has been commissioned to contract for Nanaimo and Comox coal for the U. S. navy, returned from Nanaimo to-day and leaves for San Francisco to-night.

Law Intelligence.

Mr. Justice Crease disposed of the following applications in chambers this morning:

Pearson v. Thompson—Application of plaintiff for leave to sign final judgment under order XIV. Order made for judgment.

McQuade v. John et al—Application of plaintiff for discovery. Order made as asked for.

Phoenix Assurance Co. v. Nuttall—Application of plaintiff that defendant do deliver interrogatories. Order made, interrogatories to be limited to particulars mentioned in the application. Costs in the cause. Mr. P. E. Irving for applicants; Mr. E. A. McPhillips for the defendant.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION FOR OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

To the Editor: Sir, it appears that [illegible] to bring under notice the importance of supplementing public school education by imparting to the boys that preliminary instruction in the useful arts, involved in technical education, and in connection with it for the girls, teachings for good housewifery, the art of cooking, and the use of the needle.

This proposition when carried into effect will meet a great requirement, and will not come a moment too soon; and more especially as it will serve to correct an error sometimes indulged in that public school education has too much tendency to make the boys and girls ladies and gentlemen, but which this proposed insight of the real duties of life will serve to modify and correct.

It will be useful for the development "of that better education, and being taught to think," about which the editor of the Colonist in his anxiety for the welfare of the community expressed himself so concerned, "but the people, or rather that portion entrusted with the franchise, should become the dupes of fallacies and fads," but which he failing to know how to accomplish, Col. Baker happily comes to the rescue.

It would be difficult to say to which this proposed supplementary teaching will be of most service, whether to the boys to make them eventually efficient artisans or mechanics, and equal to meet the competition of the age, or to the girls to make them good housewives, when the boys have attained manhood; but as at the present time the very general employment of Chinese labor makes so many of our girls better acquainted with the parlor than the kitchen this proposed instruction in household duty will be invaluable, and a power for promoting domestic happiness. Consequently, we say it will be of most service to the girls.

JUNIUS.

THE MARKETS.

Short Summary Covering Articles of Every Day Consumption.

The market is very heavily stocked with apples grown in the province. They are fine appearing, fine flavored apples, are sound and sell well. The price averages around 3 cents. Other lines of provincial grown fruits are not nearly as plentiful. Cranberries are again in market and are selling fairly well at 50 cents per quart. Eggs are firm, and good fresh ranch are in demand. Dealers are paying 35 cents a dozen and selling them at 40 cents. Eggs are worth attention from farmers when they go that high. Game is plentiful, and there is a good demand for it right along. Retail prices are below:

Flour	
Albany	5 00
Ogilvie's (Hungarian)	5 50
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	5 50
Premier	5 50
Three Star	5 00
Victoria	5 00
Wheat, per ton	30 00@35 00
Oats, per ton	34 00@40 00
Barley, per ton	32 00@35 00
Middlings, per ton	30 00
Bran, per ton	27 00@30 00
Ground Feed, per ton	30 00@35 00
Corn, whole	45 00
" cracked	50 00
Cornmeal, per 10 lbs	40
Oatmeal, per 10 lb	50
Rolled oats, per lb	5
Potatoes, local	40
California sweet potatoes, per lb	2@3
Cabbage	3
Hay, baled, per ton	18 00@20 00
Straw, per bale	1 00
Onions, per lb	4@5
Eggs, per doz	40
Eggs, eastern	25
Sugar per pound	6 1-2
Butter, Island roll, (2 lbs)	60@75
Butter, island, per lb	35
Eastern butter	28@30
" American, per lb	18@20
Hams, American, per lb	20
" Canadian, per lb	17@20
Bacon, American, per lb	22
" Rolled, per lb	18
" Long clear, per lb	17
Shoulders, per lb	14
Lard, per lb	18@20
Pig's feet, per doz	75
Tongues and Sounds, per kit	2 25
Meats—Beef, per lb	10@15
Meats—Beef per lb	6@15
Mutton per lb	6@15
Pork, fresh, per lb	10@15
Veal, per lb	10@18
Lamb	8@@14
Chickens, per pair	1.50@2.00
Turkeys, per lb	20@25
Geese, per lb	20@25
Fish—Smoked salmon (spring) per lb	15
Fish—Salmon (Spring), per lb	10@12
Rabbits, apiece	50
Salmon (Smoked), per lb	8@10
Halibut	10@12
Smoked halibut	12 1-2
Cod, per lb	8@10
" (Kth), per lb	12 1-2
Small fish	5@8
Smelts, per lb	10@12
Sturgeon, per lb	7@8
Herring (Labrador), per doz	50
" (smoked) "	50
Eastern oysters, fresh, per quart	75
Fruits—Apples per lb	2@5
Bananas per doz	20@30
Oranges—California	
" Seedlings	25
" Navel	40@50
Lemons, California, per doz	30@50
" Australian	30@50
Cauliflower, per doz	1 00
Peaches per lb	4@8
Pineapples, apiece	15@50
Plums per lb	3 1-2@5
Pears per lb	4@8
Quinces per lb	5
Cranberries, per quart	50

SUTRO'S ELECTRIC ROAD.

Frisco's Eccentric Philanthropist Building a Road to the Cliff.

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—Work was commenced this morning on Adolph Sutro's electric road to the Cliff. It is expected to have the road completed by the first of the year, when, it is thought, that by an arrangement with the California Street Cable Road company, a five cent fare will be charged from the ferries to the ocean.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."

USE
MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT for Man and Beast!

It quickly cures
Cuts, Burns, Corns, Bruises, Chilblains, Bunions, Cracks between the Toes, Scalds, Piles, Swellings, Ulcers, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Inflammation of all kinds, Lame Back, Pimples, Rheumatism, Pustules, Caked Breasts, Eruptions, Diseased Tendons, Contracted Muscles, And all Lameness and Soreness.

Langley & Co. Wholesale Agents for B. C.

"CORONAS," $4 per doz.
Former price $7, and a large
"CRAYON," $1.00.
"Coronas are the latest and most beautiful style of Photo, larger than Cabinets and finished on heavy embossed white enamel mounts. Skene Lowe, 63 Government street.

BRIEF LOCALS

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

When ordering Flour ask for Lion Brand. Lion! Lion! Lion!

—The Victoria amateur minstrels have a rehearsal this evening. A full attendance is urged.

—Plain cocoa mats, bordered cocoa mats, skeleton cocoa mats and every other kind of mat at Weiler Bros. *

—Why cough, while Bronchial Balsam cures coughs and can be obtained at Bowes' drug store, 27 Johnson street? *

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra ruling and other superior binding at R. T. Williams & Co.'s, 28 Broad street. *

—The Northern Pacific, Spokane Falls & Northern and Nelson & Fort Sheppard railroads have appointed H. G. Stimmel joint traveling freight and passenger agent for British Columbia, with headquarters at Nelson, B. C.

—Commencing Saturday evening next, the B. C. B. G. A. band will continue the weekly promenade concerts at the drill hall. An excellent programme has been provided and a first-class entertainment is assured all who attend.

—The young people of the Centennial Methodist church gave a very enjoyable social in the school room of the church. An excellent musical programme was rendered and the affair was in every respect a most enjoyable one.

—There will be a lecture and social at Central Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening. Rev. P. McF. Macleod, the pastor, will lecture on "The power of humor in public speech." The lecture was delivered recently in Vancouver and was enjoyed by all who heard it. There will be music besides the lecture and refreshments will be served as well.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church gave an At Home last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kinnaird, 22 Chatham street. There was a good attendance and the affair was a very enjoyable one. There was an informal programme of music, both vocal and instrumental.

—The licenses of the Alert Bay cannery were cancelled a few weeks ago by the Fisheries Department, says the Columbian. It appears that the cannery was using seines for catching salmon, contrary to the regulations. This news was brought from the north by Deputy-Sheriff McMartin. It is not known if the cancellation of the licenses seriously interfered with the company's pack.

—Captain J. M. Lachlan and his son, Bruce Lachlan, left last night for Philadelphia after a residence of over two years in this city. Captain Lachlan is at the head of the steamship department of the Southern Pacific railway and came here to make an efforts to raise the San Pedro. He made several atempts, and while he succeeded in getting the hull to float he could never get it clear of the jagged rock which penetrated the bottom well forward. What will be done with the old hulk is hard to say, but it will very likely remain where it is until the sea takes it from the rock piece by piece.

—A Port Townsend dispatch of Wednesday says: An effort is being made to charter a steamship to take a cargo of flour from Puget Sound to Japan. The Northern Pacific and Canadian Pacific steamers within the last few weeks have been taking out immense quantities of flour destined for Yokohama. The demand is so great, it is said, that a big steamship is to be chartered for one or two voyages. Considerable salmon is also to be included in the cargo. Much secrecy is being exercised in the matter to prevent the flour trust from raising the prices as was practiced in California. The Japanese government is back of the enterprise and is anxious to secure food supplies for the army. It is believed here that large orders for flour will soon be placed with the Washington flour mills by both the Japanese and Chinese governments. The Canadian Pacific steamers have engaged to take 40,000 barrels to Japan by December 1. A report was received here to-day that the steamship Willamette, plying between Puget Sound and San Francisco in the coal trade, has been engaged to make three trips to Japan.

—Christy bread and cake knives at Fox's. *

—Teeth extracted, 50c. each. Dr. A. Humber, 93 1-2 Douglas street. *

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair.
DR.
PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Lion! Lion! Lion! Nothing like the Lion Flour.

—Weiler Bros. have opened up a line of inexpensive rocking chairs. These goods are strong and very effective for the money. *

—The Young Men's Christian Association have secured R. G. Williams, the Welsh evangelist, for their service next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. Mr. Williams was "one of the boys" for forty years, and on Sunday he will give reminiscences of his experience during that time. The meeting is for men only.

The Lion Brand of Flour. Cheapest and best. Try it once; use it always.

—H. M. S. Champion coaled and took four months' provisions aboard yesterday, and will leave in the morning for Vancouver with the old crew of H. M. S. Pheasant. The new crew of the Pheasant will arrive at Vancouver on Saturday or Sunday, and the Champion will await their arrival. H. M. S. Royal Arthur is taking on 550 tons of coal today and will go to Vancouver on Monday morning. It is understood that she will remain there and bring Lord Aberdeen and party to the city.

—A gentleman remarked to a Times reporter this morning that the immigration law, or some other authority, should be invoked to prevent this city being made the dumping ground for mendicants and paupers. Michael Marco, the Italian now in Westminster asylum, and Edward Burke, the legless man found drunk on Yates street yesterday, were both shipped here from the Sound. The city is also visited irregularly by beggars, who come armed with hand organs or fiddles. These people should be met at the boats and kept from landing.

—Chief Deasy of the fire department is busy notifying owners of buildings which come within the provisions of the provincial act regulating fire escapes to comply with the law. As the chief pointed out to the council, the city by-law and the provincial act clash, but the act is being followed. Escapes are being placed on a number of buildings in the city, and the other aids to exit from burning buildings required by the act are also being put in. When ample time has been given to everybody to comply with the law the delinquents will be proceeded against.

—The Northern Pacific liner Tacoma, Captain Perkes, is scheduled to sail for the Orient on Thursday next. She will have a full cargo of freight, made up largely of flour, and including as well shipments of general merchandise. All her cargo space was engaged several weeks ago and her freight is already in the sheds and yards at Tacoma. She will have a number of Chinese passengers from the sound and British Columbia. The freight offering to the two British lines of trans-Pacific steamers is simply enormous, and is increasing, if anything.

—There will be a special meeting of the city council to-morrow morning at ten o'clock in the committee room. The meeting is called by the mayor to take up the protest from the Fort street property owners, who object to sewerage construction by day labor. It is very likely that the matter will be disposed of finally one way or the other. The council by majority vote decided to have the work done by day labor, but in the majority were a couple of aldermen who voted that way with the understanding that there would be no trouble, legal or otherwise, and it would not be surprising if the day labor scheme were entirely abandoned. It is also probable that there will be some discussion over the request for $750 from the Aberdeen reception committee.

—The promenade concert and decoration committee in connection with the reception of Lord Aberdeen held a meeting at the city hall to-morrow afternoon. There was considerable discussion on the estimate of necessary expenses, and it was decided that to decorate the drill shed would mean for the promenade concert, make some decorations at the outer wharf, and provide carriages for the guests that it would be necessary to ask the city council for a vote of $750. Herbert E. A. Robertson was made secretary and W. B. Ridgway Wilson and J. B. Gordon were added to the committee. Messrs. Muir, Ridgway Wilson and Jensen were named a committee on decorations. The latter committee will meet to-morrow afternoon. The ball committee are considering the advisability of holding the public ball at the drill shed, providing the necessary permission can be obtained from Ottawa.

—The Norwegian colonists who have taken up a tract of land near Bella Coola leave for their new homes to-morrow, the steamer Princess Louise having been chartered to take them up. Yesterday they had a conference with the Hon. Ed. Baker, when the rules for the government of the colony were fully explained to them, all agreeing to abide by these rules. The government of the colony is to be administered by a council of five, composed of president, vice-president, secretary and two members of the colony, all to be elected annually by the colonists. This council will make the rules which govern, must be approved by the minister of immigration before they become law. Any one breaking the rules will be subject to expulsion. Surveyor Leach goes north with the party to show them the land and assist them in laying it out. They will take provisions for the winter and will occupy next season in clearing the land. No stock will be taken up until feed can be raised for it.

Seal Teeth!
Jewellery of all kinds in fine gold and beautifully finished is what Pennock & Lowe, the Jewellers, are making a specialty of just now. 63 Government St., next Spencer's Arcade.

—George Byrnes will sell at his rooms, Wharf street, to-morrow at 11 a.m., two crates of well assorted crockery; also a good line of general furniture.

—Edward Burke, the legless man found drunk yesterday on Yates street, was found guilty in the police court this morning and discharged with the understanding that he would leave the city at once.

—The steamer Umatilla arrived from San Francisco at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, having made an unusually fast trip up. Since her last trip she has been in the dry dock, where she was cleaned and repaired. She brought up thirty-three passengers and about 130 tons of freight.

—John Carew, who assaulted a Chinaman on Yates street and then resisted arrest, was given a hearing on a charge of aggravated assault and was committed for trial. E. E. Wootton appeared for the prosecution and the case was established by the evidence of a number of witnesses.

—A dispute of long standing has been settled. Walter Heal of Lake district owned a cow. He owns lots of cows, but the particular cow in question was said some two or three weeks ago to have tuberculosis, and Inspector Roper ordered her destruction. Mr. Heal was in doubt about it being tuberculosis, and some of the veterinaries who examined the animal agreed with him. Mr. Heal declined to kill the animal and was summoned under the act to show cause. He did so, and the case was dismissed. It was agreed to watch the progress of the disease which the animal was supposed to have and she was quarantined. A few days ago the cow was killed, and Drs. Hamilton and Blanchard held a post mortem. Every organ of the body was found in a perfectly healthy state, so the tuberculosis theory is knocked out.

A Rare Treat.

British Columbians should not fail to see Robert Downing and his talented company in the "Gladiator" on Friday and Saturday evenings next in Seattle and put up at the Arlington Hotel and find J. H. A. Lynch, formerly of Victoria as manager, also Robert Downing and company.

THE FISHING INDUSTRY.

Inspector McNab Talks of the Salmon Output and Other Matters.

Charles H. McNab, inspector of fisheries, talked with the Times about the salmon output and the British Columbia fisheries generally. He said:

"The returns of the salmon output have not yet been made up; in fact they are not all in, but the probability is that there will be 350,000 cases put in the market, or somewhere in the neighborhood of 100,000 cases less than last year, but nevertheless much in excess of any previous year. The prices obtained will be better than last year. The number of men engaged in fishing this year has been in excess of all former years, and therefore the fishermen individually have not made so much money, but collectively of course a large sum has been paid out. I attribute the increase in the number of fishers partly to the spring floods, which have caused many small farmers to earn a few dollars with the nets. Five new canneries were operated this year, but one was closed down, the Bon Accord, owned by Mr. D. J. Munn. I believe it was closed own for repairs, but Mr. Munn could better tell you about his own business. The total number of canneries in operation is 28, and they average about 150 fishermen each. There have been a few quinatt (spring) canned; they have been sent to the eastern Canadian market. There seems still to be a prejudice of color against quinatt on the English market. Sockeye alone have been canned for exportation to the old country. A few cahoes are being canned, but very few. These three divisions of the salmon family are the only ones that have a commercial value. The hunchback, dog salmon and steel head (properly a trout), are caught by the Indians for their own use, and are preferred by them for pickling purposes."

"What about the disposal of offal?"

"Well, very likely you know as much about it as I do. The new fisheries regulations require that the offal be deposited in the gulf; the canners claim that this is an injustice to them. An effort has been made to extract oil from the offal and also to manufacture a fertilizer. The oil as a lubricant is not a great success. It is too gluey. And, on the other hand, it cannot well be used by loggers for their wagons or skids, it being too thin; they prefer codfish or dogfish oil. In the opinion of many, there is no doubt that the offal can be made commercially valuable. It is rumored that there are a number of men willing to go into the manufacture of oil and a fertilizer from the offal. But they want a bonus, and they think that the cannerymen might give them the bonus. Of course the canners have to pay for the disposal of offal, and the sums so appropriated would be considered a sufficient bonus. The offal, in case any arrangement could be satisfactorily arrived at, would be taken to the oil factory conveniently situate for all the refineries, instead of out into the gulf and dumped there."

"There are more Japanese on the river this year than last, are there not?"

"Yes, that is true. Over one hundred Japs have taken out naturalization papers and are fishing on licenses. This does not include Japanese who may be fishing under cannery licenses. There does not seem to be any complaint of any moment and everything is working smoothly."

"How about the hatchery?"

"We will put into the hatchery about 6,500,000 sockeye ova; already five million eggs are in. This is an increase of over half a million upon last year. About three thousand ova are taken from one female fish and are fertilized from the milt of one male. The young fish, hatched out during the winter, are turned loose in the spring. The loss in the hatchery is not more than 8 per cent. The percentage of fish that arrive at maturity when turned out cannot be reckoned even approximately, but there is reason for supposing that a large quantity of them grow to be full sized fish. Their natural enemies, the trout and the chub, prey upon young salmon. But the instinct of self-preservation is great in the salmon, and the young salmon learn how to take care of themselves."

"Is there any increase in the output of the other fisheries?"

"The supply of 1,000,000 eggs of white fish from the Selkirk hatchery were hatched out and put in the Okanagan lake. This has been a satisfactory transfer. There has been a good demand for halibut, and the output this year will be large. Deep sea fishing is being paid more attention to, and the persons engaging in the undertaking are receiving good returns."

Manchester House . . .
88 YATES STREET.
Great Reduction Sale of
Mantles, Jackets, Dress Goods, Staples, Etc

Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Braid Trimmings..	$3 85
Ladies' Serge Jackets, Braid Trimmings..	4 50
Ladies' Serge Jackets, Braid Trimmings..	5 85
Ladies' Ulsters from.....	3 00
Children's Ulsters from.....	2 50

DRESS GOODS

7 yards Double Width French Serge for..	$1 95
6 yards All-Wool Hop Sacking for	3 90
Extra Heavy Serge, 52 inches wide, per yd	85
Plaid Dress Goods, 52 inches wide, per yd.	50
8-4 White Sheeting, per yard.....	22½cts
9-4 White Sheeting, per yard.....	27½cts
8-4 Grey Sheeting, per yard.....	20 cts
Grey Flannel, per yard.....	15 cts

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
A Choice Selection of the Latest Styles in HATS, BONNETS, TRIMMINGS, Etc.
MANCHESTER HOUSE. - T. HAUGHTON & CO.

Every Time
you can make a dollar buy more than it is worth you win a few steps over your dilatory neighbor. Some folk call it luck when you find a dollar bill Anyone can be lucky who will take advantage of a Sale like ours.
6 pairs good Merino Sox, $1.00.
Men's colored Shirts, at 50c each.
A line of Boys' Stockings at 50c. a pair, regular price 75c. to $1.
Clothing at actual Cost Price.
W. J. JEFFREE,
The Golden Rule Clothing Store,
Corner Yates and Douglas Streets.

COAL & WOOD---REMOVAL.
W. WALKER
Has opened an office for the Sale of Coal and Wood in No. 15 Market Bl'd'g, End of Broad St. Orders filled with our usual promptitude. TERMS CASH
Telephone No. 466.

VICTORIA CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC,
Principal, MISS M. B. SHARP. 288 Yates St., opp. High School.
Instruction in all branches of Vocal and Instrumental Music (including Guitar and Mandolin), Theory, Musical History and Analysis, Instrumentation, Elocution, and Foreign Languages.
Classes in Theory, Musical History and Analysis, Hand Culture, Ensemble Playing. Recitals and Concerts are free to pupils of conservatory.
Mr. Trevelyan Sharp (late of London, England), is in charge of the Violin and Orchestral department. Mr. Sharp has had thorough training and practical experience in preparing Principals, Chorus and Orchestra in Opera Oratorio, etc., and is open to engagements from Operatic and Choral Societies requiring a Musical Director. Prospectus on application.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Reform Club to Elect Officers Next Tuesday Evening.

Nanaimo, Oct. 25.—The Association football match between the engineers and blacksmiths of the New Vancouver Company took place on the Green yesterday afternoon. The match could not be said to have been a scientific one, but it certainly was amusing. The engineers worked nobly but they were outmatched and allowed their opponents to score three goals in succession. The citizens would like to see the return match played on Saturday.

The Reform club will give a smoking concert on Tuesday next, and it is understood it will be strictly confined to members, as on this occasion the officers including the president will be balloted for.

Miss Margaret Affleck died at her residence early yesterday morning from the effects of a paralytic stroke, from which she suffered on Saturday evening last. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon.

The Nanaimo Hornets leave on Saturday morning for Vancouver where they will play their first match of the season.

The Caledonian Society have lately repaired the cinder track which is now in fine order. The track is said to be the finest in the province and attracts both bicyclists and runners.

Salt rheum with its intense itching, dry, hot skin, is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it purifies the blood.

CABLE NEWS.

Migration of Aanarchists to America—Canadian Government Loan.

London, Oct. 24.—Mail advices received from Madagascar report that the Falivales tribesmen have raided a village near Majunga, near the entrance to Dembotooka bay, on the northwest coast. The Falivales attacked the French trading house and beheaded two agents there, one of whom was English and the other French. A number of soldiers, belonging to the Hova tribe, the leading tribe of the island, were close at hand when the attack was made, but they did not interfere to prevent the murder of the agents.

Advices from Lima, Peru, state that a vandal act has been perpetrated on the Arequipa observatory. Brigands are reported to have stolen all the valuable instruments and destroyed the buildings. The observatory was established by Harvard university, and was one of the best equipped in the world. It is believed that the United States will demand reparation.

Numbers of leading Engish and foreign anarchistic clubs are vacating their haunts in London, and the majority are proceeding to America. The reason for this migration is the incessant harassing to which they have been subjected and on account of the vigilance of the police. Merriway, the socialist leader, will shortly go to the United States.

Lourenzo Marquez, Delagoa Bay, chamber of commerce has cabled the Portuguese government that the condition of affairs there is unbearable. Business is ruined and an epidemic is threatened. Portugal is urged to have the Transvaal government send troops there.

Reports that war is impending between Mexico and Guatemala are false.

The Politische correspondent says that the sultan has appointed Alei Ghaleb Bey, Turkish ambassador to Persia, to represent him in Vienna. This closes the misunderstanding which followed the appointment of Nouri Bey to the post of Turkish ambassador at this court. Austria declined to receive Nouri Bey, although giving no satisfactory reason for her action. The Sublime Porte believed that his parentage was the cause of the trouble, as he is the son of a French count, Chatauneuf, and became a Mussulman only after his marriage with a Turkish woman.

A southern gale prevails along the coasts of western Europe. The heavy seas make navigation exceedingly difficult. The channel boats have had rough passages. Many minor accidents have been reported.

La Verite states positively that a secret agreement between France and Russia, said to have been signed prior to the fetes at Cronstadt which followed the visit to that port of Admiral Gervais and the French fleet, and gives details of the terms in accordance with which the nations are to act conjointly should certain contingencies arise.

The Canadian government loan was well received on the market, and apparently it will be over applied for at 97 and upwards.

PROTECTION OF SEALS.

Portugal Agrees to Adhere to the Paris Tribunal Regulations.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 24.—Portugal has accepted the invitation of the United States and has signified her adherence to the agreement arranged by the Paris arbitration for the protection of seals in the North Pacific ocean and Behring sea. About two months ago the state department sent out a note to all the maritime powers, save Great Britain, which was already included, inviting them to join in this agreement. These were duly acknowledged by all the recipients, and the first nation to accept was Portugal, which thereby binds herself to forbid her subjects to enter the closed zones in pursuit of seals. This is the only response so far received.

FAKIR OF THE MONKEY-TEMPLE

The Curious Story of a Fanatic Who Was Once a Christian.

A correspondent of the Kolnische Zeitung tells the following strange story, which, if true, may help us to believe that Rudyard Kipling's tales of India are not altogether creations of the imagination. This writer says:

"Every visitor to Simla (India) knows the Jakko Hill—about 1500 feet high—in the immediate neighborhood, and the monkey-temple on the top of it. There lives an ascetic, fanatical fakir who supports himself and the monkeys on the offerings of the faithful, and who is treated by those creatures with the most profound respect. There are two troops or regiments of monkeys, each with its king, who is appointed to that position by the fakir. The king alone, has the right to eat in the temple; the other monkeys remain outside, and the fakir himself brings a dish of tit-bits for their Kotwal or general. When they have done, they file respectfully before the fakir, who dismisses them with 'Go, my children.' This fakir, who is bronzed by wind and weather, clothed only in a leopard skin, and whose hair has not been cut or combed for 20 years, is a European. He is able to converse in perfect English, and his name is Charles William de Rousette. His father was a shopkeeper in Simla, and sent him as a boy to the best school there. But an ex-servant of the father had been very intimate with the fakir of Jakko, and upon the latter's death had succeeded to his position. The young Rousette used to visit him frequently, and the latter showed great regard for the son of his old employer. Threatened with some punishment at school, the boy took refuge with his friend the fakir at the temple, but was found there some days later and brought back. He seemed to have lost all interest in life, was always wanting to return to the temple, and one day he suddenly disappeared. The next 12 years he spent in the novitiate, wandering about India, and clothed only with his hair. After the 12 years he reappeared in Simla as the disciple of the fakir, and on the latter's death succeeded him. The elder Rousette had meanwhile died, leaving a good fortune, but the son made no effort to secure it. He says that he is perfectly happy, and has no desire to re-enter the false and corrupt European society.' He has a particular antipathy to the Anglo-Indian clergy, and possesses an extraordinary influence over all classes of Hindus, who revere him as a saint. He is the only instance of a fakir brought up as a Christian, and of European parents, who, though heir to a considerable fortune, leads a wretched life, deprived of all visible enjoyments, and yet to all appearance absolutely happy and contented."

SOME AMUSING BULLS.

Politicians and Others Who Mixed their Metaphors.

The prize of one guinea recently offered for the most amusing "bull" has been awarded for the following specimens:

A certain politician, lately condemning the government for their recent policy concerning the income tax, is reported to have said: "They'll keep cutting the wool off the sheep that lays the golden eggs until they pump it dry."

Below are some of the best competitions sent in:

Extract from a speech made at a meeting to promote total abstinence: "The glorious work will never be accomplished until the good ship Temperance shall sail from one end of the land to the other, and with a cry of 'Victory!' at each step she takes shall plant her banner in every city, town and village in the United Kingdom."

An Irishman, in the midst of a tirade against landlords and capitalists, declared "that if these men were landed on an uninhabited island they wouldn't be there half an hour before they would have their hands in the pockets of the naked savages."

Only a few weeks ago a lecturer at a big meeting gave utterance to the following: "All along the untrodden paths of the future we can see the hidden footprints of an unseen hand."

"We pursue the shadow, the bubble bursts, and leaves the ashes in our hands!"

One of the regulations of the West Boston Bridge company reads:

"And the said proprietors shall meet annually on the first Tuesday of June, provided the same does not fall on a Sunday."

An orator at one of the university unions bore off the palm of merit when he declared that "the British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts of India or climbing the forests of Canada, will not draw in its horns nor retire into its shell."—Tit-Bits.

WATER POWER TRANSMISSION.

How Electricity is Utilized in a Mexican Institution.

Various modifications of turbines and water motors have in recent years been applied to the utilization of water powers heretofore thought impracticable, but which have become available through the introduction of the electrical system of transmission. Water powers located at inaccessible points can be made to furnish or transmit the power to places of convenience, where it can be utilized for any purpose in demand, the distance of such transmission being limited only to the cost of the transmission line, the generator and the motor, long lines, of course, sacrificing to a greater or less extent the available effect, but frequently are desirable even at considerable loss of power.

There are, according to the Electrical Review, pairs of water wheels at the falls of Juanacatlan, Mexico, each of which is rated at 600 horse power, or, approximately, an aggregate of 1,800 for the three pairs, but only two pairs are in constant use, the other pair being held as a reserve power, and to be used in case of accident in the motive power plant. The distance over which the power is transmitted is nearly 18 miles, being situated over 17 miles from Guadalajara, one of the largest cities in the republic of Mexico, to which point this power is carried and the electric lighting of the city accomplished.

These 20-inch turbines are placed under a head of 60 feet, and are producing remarkably fine results. They combine a number of new features and important improvements adapted to turbine use, and their automatic regulation has proved highly satisfactory. They represent the highest art in turbine building, the wheel, or running proper, being made of bronze, the shafts of the best hammered scrap wrought iron, and the other parts of the combination requiring strength are made of steel, the whole design being of the most perfect construction.

The transmission of the power from the turbines is made to an intermediate line shaft, from which shaft the power is taken to the generators and is accomplished by the modern hemp rope improved transmission. The rope drives are of the continuous style, passing from a groove in the pulley on the water wheel shaft to a groove in the pulley on the main power line and from that groove returning again to an adjacent groove on the water wheel pulley and thence to another groove on the main line, thus returning back and forth until sixteen grooves are filled on the water wheel shaft. In order to keep the rope taut, a carriage is placed between the pulley and the water wheel shaft on the main line, to which is attached a counterweight. This carriage pulls back and forth, somewhat upon a cable railway plan, thus easily and nicely effecting a uniform tension in the rope in all conditions of the atmosphere and under all variations of power given by the wheels.

The power is taken from the pair of 20-inch water wheels by two of these rope pulleys, one placed on each side of the pair of wheels. Of course, the same arrangement is observed in both of the other pair of wheels, all being connected to the same main intermediate line shaft, from which the power is belted to the generators.

Salt rheum with its intense itching, dry, hot skin, is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it purifies the blood.

The Sarcastic Barnstormers (after the bombardment from the gallery)—I have eggs enough now, though [illegible] one send up an accompanying ham?

The Gallery (with emphasis)—It's on the stage now!

(No. 267.)

A BY-LAW.

To Authorize the Sale of Lands Within the City of Victoria upon which Taxes have been due and in arrear for two years.

Whereas it is expedient that all lands or improvements or real property within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, upon which municipal taxes have been due and in arrear for two years, shall be sold, and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes:

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The Collector of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed whensoever taxes on any land or improvements or real property have been due for two years preceding the current year, to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands or improvements or real property liable, under the provisions of this by-law, to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same, and the Mayor shall authenticate such list by affixing thereto the seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation, and the other shall be returned to the collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the seal of the Corporation, commanding him to levy upon the land or improvements or real property for the arrears due thereon with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the collector to make inquiry before effecting a sale of lands or improvements or real property for taxes, to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to inquire into or form any opinion of the value of the land or improvements or real property.

3. The collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands or improvements or real property to be sold, and shall include therein, in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorised by this by-law to be paid to him, and shall cause a copy of such list to be printed for a period of one month preceding the date of such intended sale in some newspaper published in the City of Victoria.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid he will proceed to sell the lands or improvements or real property for the taxes on a day, a time, and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The collector shall at least two months before the time of sale, also deliver to or deposit in the post office to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes as aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due, and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown, a notice to the same effect shall be posted upon the land intended to be sold, and also at least two months before the time of sale, post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Post Office Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall the the thirty-third day after the first publication in a newspaper of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the said thirty-third day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers, in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at 12 o'clock noon.

7. If at any time appointed for the sale of the lands or improvements or real property, no bidders appear, the collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the collector shall sell at public auction so much of the land or improvements or real property as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first, and in offering such lands or improvements or real property for sale, it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be prima facie evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the collector fails at such sale to sell such land or improvements or real property for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due, he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of which adjourned sale he shall give notice by advertisement in the newspaper in which the original notice was advertised, and on such adjourned sale he shall sell such lands or improvements or real property for any sum he can realize, and shall accept such sum as full payment for such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay the collector the amount of the purchase money, the collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Clerk of the Corporation, and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds to the Treasurer of the said Corporation.

12. The collector shall be entitled to five per centum commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-Law, 1894."

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of October, A. D. 1894.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed the Council this 18th day of October, A. D. 1894.

JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.
(L.S.)
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above notice is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1894, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

TRANSPORTATION.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 20

To Take Effect at 5.00 a.m. on Friday, April 27, 1894.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND. READ OFF.

No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 3 Pass'r Fri.'s Sat.'s & Sundays.	Miles from Wellington.
Ar. 12 30 P M	VICTORIA	Ar. 3 00 P M	
12 35	SUMMIT	3 05	4
12 40	ESQUIMALT	3 10	5
12 54	COLWOOD	3 24	7
1 10	GOLDSTREAM	3 40	9
1 20	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	3 50	11
1 30	COBBLE HILL	4 00	14
1 37	KOKSILAH	4 07	16
1 44	DUNCANS	4 14	18
1 55	GLENORA	4 25	22
2 05	CHEMAINUS	4 35	26
2 15	OYSTER BAY SIDG	4 45	30
2 34	NANAIMO	5 04	38
3 10	WELLINGTON	5 40	53
Dp.		Dp.	

NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.

No. 1 Pass'r Fri.'s Sat.'s & Sundays.	STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	Miles from Victoria.
Dp. 3 00 P M	WELLINGTON	Dp. 8 00 A M	
3 36	NANAIMO	8 34	15
3 56	OYSTER BAY SIDG	8 54	23
4 06	CHEMAINUS	9 04	27
4 17	GLENORA	9 15	31
4 27	DUNCANS	9 25	35
4 35	KOKSILAH	9 33	38
4 42	COBBLE HILL	9 40	40
4 50	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9 48	43
5 00	GOLDSTREAM	9 58	45
5 14	COLWOOD	10 12	48
5 24	ESQUIMALT	10 22	50
5 30	SUMMIT	10 28	51
5 35	VICTORIA	10 33	52
Ar. 5 40 P M		Ar. 10 40 A M	

ON FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a fare and a quarter where the single fare is twenty-five cents.

Through rates between Victoria and Comox.

Mileage and Commutation Tickets can be obtained on application to the Ticket Agents, at Victoria, Duncan's or Nanaimo Stations.

A. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Supt.
H. E. PRIOR, Gen. Freight and Passenger Agent.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

SAVE MONEY AND TIME!

WHEN GOING EAST

By purchasing your tickets via the Canadian Pacific Route. Through Daily Sleepers, Elegant Upholstered Tourist Cars in charge of competent porters running through without change to

BOSTON, MONTREAL,
MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL
TORONTO and WINNIPEG.

ROYAL : MAIL : STEAMSHIP : LINE
—TO—
CHINA AND JAPAN.

The Short Route to the Orient.

SAILINGS AS FOLLOWS:

Empress of Japan..... Nov. 12
Empress of China..... Dec. 10
Empress of India..... Jan. 7
Empress of Japan..... Feb. 4

For rates, pamphlets and all information apply to

GEO. L. COURTNEY, Agent, Victoria, B. C.
Or to
GEO. McL. BROWN, Dist. & Pass. Agent, Vancouver, B. C.

Great Northern Railway

THE BUFFET LINE.

Passengers for Chicago can take sleeping car at Seattle through without change. Passengers leave Victoria daily at 7:30 a.m. for Spokane, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg, Milwaukee, St. Louis and the east, running Buffet Cars, with bathroom, barber shop, easy chairs, observation windows, library, writing and card tables, smoking rooms, etc., and Palace Sleeping and Dining Cars, Family Tourist Sleepers, and First and Second Class Coaches.

Direct connections made at Wenatchee with steamers to and from Lake Chelan and the Okanagan country. At Bonner's Ferry with steamers from Kaslo, Ainsworth, Nelson and other points in the Kootenay mining district. At Jennings with steamer for Fort Steele. At Shelby Junction and Havre for Great Falls, Helena and Butte.

Crosses the Cascades and Rocky Mountains in daylight. Finest scenery in America and a line free from dust.

For information or publications apply to

A. D. CHARLTON, General Agent, No. 72 Government Street.
F. I. WHITNEY, Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt., St. Paul, Minnesota.

TRANSPORTATION.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY

STEAMER JOAN

J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after March 22nd, 1893,—

Steamer JOAN will sail as follows:

Calling at Way Ports as freight and Passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria.....Tuesday 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox.....Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo.....Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria.....Saturday, 7 a.m.

Trips to Valdez Island once a month.

For freight or stateroom apply, on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria. [illegible] Store st. wharf.

The Oceanic Steamship Company

Carrying United States, Hawaiian and Colonial Mails, will leave the Company's wharf, foot of Folsom Street, San Francisco

FOR HONOLULU ONLY

S.S. AUSTRALIA (3,000 tons) Saturday, October 27th, 1894, at 2 p.m.

For passage apply to 138 Montgomery St. For freight apply to 327 Market street.

For Honolulu, Auckland & Sydney without change

The Splendid New 3,000 ton Steel Screw Steamer Monowai, Thursday, October 18th, at 5 p.m. Or immediately on arrival of the English Mails.

J. D. SPRECKELS & BROS. CO., General Agents.
or W. WEBSTER, District Agent. H. E. CONNON, Agent, Boston Square, Victoria.
CAPT. W. M. WEBSTER, Agent for Puget Sound Territory.

Thos. F. Oakes, Henry C. Payne, Henry C. Rouse, Receivers.

NORTHERN PACIFIC R.R.

—RUNS—

Pullman Sleeping Cars,
Elegant Dining Cars,
Tourist Sleeping Cars,

TO

St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Fargo, Grand Forks Cookston, Winnipeg, Helena and Butte.

THROUGH TICKETS

To Chicago, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Boston and All Points East and South.

TIME SCHEDULE.

SPEED 16 knots	Victoria Route. S.S. "CITY OF KINGSTON."					TONNAGE 1147
8 30 pm	Lv	M 1	...	*Victoria...	110	Ar 4 30 pm
11 45 pm	Lv	38		Pt. Townsend	72	Lv 1 30 pm
3 00 am	Lv	82		...Seattle...	28	Lv 10 15 am
4 45 am	Ar	110		...*Tacoma...	M 1	Lv 8 00 am

Steamer City of Kingston makes connection at Tacoma with Northern Pacific trains to and from points east and south.

* Daily except Monday.

E. E. BLACKWOOD, Freight and Passenger Agent, Victoria, B.C.

A. D. CHARLTON, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, 121 First street, Washington, Portland, Or.

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO., (LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE NO. 24,

Taking effect Sept. 1st, 1894.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday at 8:30 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday at 13:15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney, Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 13:15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island and Sidney, Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st, 10th and 20th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 1st and 15th of each month.

The company reserves the right of changing this time table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.

Boys' School Suits, $1.50, $2 $2.50 upwards; Boys' Overcoats, $3, $3.50, $4 upwards; Boys' Rubber Coats, $1.50 each; Boys' Reefer Jackets, $2, $3.50, $4; Men's Fine Overoats, $7, $8, $10 upwards; Men's Winter Suits, $6.75, $8.50, $10 upwards; Men's Tweed Pants, $1.75, $2, $2.50, upwards; Fine Underwear, per suit, 75c, $1, $1.50 upwards.

Melissa and Rigby Waterproofs, Mackintoshes, Umbrellas, Etc., in great variety. See the Socks we are showing at 12 1-2c per pair.

B. WILLIAMS & CO., 97 Johnson St., Victoria.

SEARCH FOR THE IVANHOE.

Lot of Wreckage Found Along the West Coast.

Seattle, Oct. 24.—Captain J. A. Hatfield, who accompanied the tug Pioneer in her search along Vancouver island for wreckage or any clue to the whereabouts of the ship Ivanhoe, returned to Seattle at 10.30 last night, after a fruitless search. A large amount of wreckage was found and examined in Long bay, but none could be identified as belonging to the Ivanhoe. The weather was exceedingly rough during the trip, and a very heavy southwest swell was running all the time. The tug behaved in a most admirable manner, and too much praise cannot be given Captain Neilson and his crew for their services on the trip. Captain Hatfield gives the following account of the cruise:

"We left Port Townsend on October 19th at 6.30 a. m., passed out by Tatoosh island at 1.30 p.m., with light southeast wind and heavy southwest swell, which increased as we proceeded northward. At 6.15 p. m. we entered Bartlett sound through the east channel. After surveying the shores, without any success, we anchored in Banfield creek about 8 p.m. Banfield creek is a thoroughly safe and landlocked harbor, with good anchorage of from nine to ten fathoms of water. No shipmaster being caught on the Vancouver shore in a northwesterly wind need have any fear to enter the east channel, as there is good anchorage a mile from the entrance.

"At 6.30 a. m. of the 20th, with the barometer at 29.26 and falling, wind northeast, with heavy, threatening weather, we got under way and proceeded to an Indian village on Diana island, where we found three ships' boats, evidently belonging to wrecked ships. One boat had the name Jeremiah Thompson on its stern, while the names of the other two had evidently been washed off. There was also a large ship's hatch, a carpenter's tool chest, wire rigging and numerous other articles from wrecks. The chief of the tribe of Mumukamish Indians and two squaws were the only ones in the village. C. Tunsley, chief engineer of the Pioneer, spoke the language fairly well and learned that the tribe had vacated the place for Mumukamish bay. We took him aboard as a guide and proceeded to Mumukamish bay, and found about sixty Indians, who informed us that no wreckage had been seen lately in the vicinity of Bartlett sound. We proceeded down the main channel towards Clayoquot sound, examining the shores as we went along. At 5.15 we entered Temple channel and into Clayoquot sound. The barometer registered 29.15, wind southeast and heavy, threatening weather. We dropped anchor off Stubb island at 6.30 p. m. We went ashore and learned from Mr. Jacobson, store keeper, and from the Indians that there were several wrecks in Long bay. We got Indians to pilot us up Browny passage to a trail which led to Long bay. In the party were Captain Neilson, Engineer Tunsley, two deck hands and myself. We left the tug in a small boat and pulled to the head of the passage, a distance of nine miles. We had to go ashore over a long mud flat and ford small rivers and rough marshes to reach Long bay.

"After walking along a rock bound coast for about five miles we found the first wreckage, a hard wood keel, part of the bottom remaining attached. Next we found the side of a hardwood vessel, then a hardwood copper fastened ship, bottom up. It had been metalled, but the metal had been taken off by Indians. This vessel must have been 1300 or 1400 tons burden. Lying alongside the ship and partly buried in the sand was a stern post, with five holes in the bottom. Then part of the keel and side of another vessel, with a quantity of wreckage strewn along the beach in the vicinity. Further on we saw a main hatch beam, with official number 10,724 carved on it. The beach was strewn with heavy timber, 16x16 and 18x18, evidently the cargo of one of the wrecks. The next morning, October 22, we learned from the Indians that a number of their canoes and one or two sealing schooners had been cruising along the north coast and had seen nothing of any wreckage. We left Clayoquot sound at 7 o'clock and proceeded toward Cape Flattery, which we reached at 2.15. We saw three ships bound in about fifteen miles south of Tatoosh island. We took in tow the ship Rufus E. Wood, from San Francisco, bound for Nanaimo, which reported that she had not seen or heard of any wreckage. We reached Port Angeles at 10 a. m., and I took the Monticello and arrived in this city at 10.45 last night.

"I think that an accident has befallen the Ivanhoe which has disabled her. She may be trying to get down the coast under jury mast, or if she has foundered it is likely that her crew has been picked up by some outward bound vessel and taken to some distant port, perhaps even to China or Japan."

THE BRAIN AND GYMNASTICS.

Treatment to Restore the Muscles After Paralysis.

Modern studies of the brain, says Modern Medicine, have placed in a very clear light the fact that in gymnastics, piano playing, and skilled movements of all sorts, the training consists not simply in the discipline of the muscles involved, but is especially a training of the cells at the surface of the brain—the so-called cortical portion of the brain.

In may cases of paralysis, the failure of the patient to recover the use of the affected muscles is the result of neglect properly to train or educate the muscles. The patient is not always able to do this himself, for the reason that after the injury involving the cerebral region has been repaired, the muscles are often left in a state of such complete disability that the patient is not able to command them by his will; that is, although the connection between the will and the muscles is restored, the muscle is too weak to respond—not that the muscle is not able to contract, but it is unable to contract and at the same time do the work required of it in the moving parts to which it is attached. In these cases passive movements are of the greatest assistance. The masseur should say to to the patient (in a case involving the lower extremities, for example), "Draw up your foot," and at the instant when the patient makes the effort to draw up his foot the masseur should raise his foot for him, or give such assistance as is necessary to raise the foot, perhaps leaving the patient to suppose that he has executed the movement himself, thus giving him encouragement and restoring his confidence. After this procedure has been executed for a few days it will be noticed in many cases that there is a decided increase in the voluntary control of the patient over the affected part; and after a prolonged course of treatment, reaching in many cases if necessary over weeks and even months, the patient may be able to control the paralyzed parts in a very satisfactory manner. In like manner, the patient may even recover the power of speech after having once lost it. If the patient is able to understand the words spoken to him, although unable to utter them himself, in some cases it is possible to restore his ability to speak by calling his attention to the form assumed by the muscles of the lips and other muscles involved in articulation, and directing him each day in executing those movements, just as a deaf person is taught. In a case recently reported by Kuchler, a patient by this means acquired the use of more than a hundred words by only six weeks' practice, after having been speechless, or nearly so, for nine years, as the result of a stroke of apoplexy.

POCKET PATRIOTISM.

How the Old Flag and Appropriation People Talk.

Subsidy-seekers and advocates of "the old flag and an appropriation," have a common lingo the world over. We in the United States long since became familiar with it, and could now scarcely identify a schemer for getting rich by government favor unless he stood with his hand on his heart and vowed that his whole and consuming desire was to see this beloved country become great and glorious. In Canada they have been a little slower in acquiring this kind of Blaineish argot, but are making rapid progress with it, if we may judge by the correspondence published in connection with the subsidy voted the projected line of fast steamers between Quebec and Liverpool. The promoter declared, in asking for $750,000 a year for his steamship line, that he had no other "governing idea" than to make Canada "an imperial highway, not only to its own people, and for its own mails, but to many points in the United States of America, to and from all parts of Europe, Australia, New Zealand, China and Japan, to Fiji, Hawaiian Islands, and round the world." Until this idea should be accepted by the statesmen of Canada, they would never "reach the potentialities of that patriotic and historic railway—the Canadian Pacific." They should remember also that "travel has always in its wake due toll," and especially should not overlook its "missionary influence." All this and much more of the kind is in the most approved style, and only a poor-spirited creature would pause to ask if there was any commercial demand for the line, or to enquire how the fast steamers would fare sailing among the ice bergs and fogs of the northern route.

Yet there was at least one such grovelling soul in the Canadian parliament, when the matter came up for debate, who shamelessly demanded, "Do let us be practical." He had seen travelers go by, "sleeping or lolling on their soft cushions in Pullman cars," and he would like to know where were the due tolls in their wake, or where their "missionizing influence" came in? If it was so important that a quick passage across the Atlantic be provided, think how many free tickets could be furnished for $750,000 a year and apply the money directly in that way, instead of sending it round about through the promoter's fingers, where a good part of it would be apt to stick. As for freight, the trouble was in the Canadian high tariff which forced so many vessels to come to Montreal in ballast. Put down your tariff, said this wretched man, and you will make a trade which will of itself build steamers without the need of subsidies. It is pleasant to be able to add that such considerations had no weight with the Canadian parliament, which promptly voted the subsidy, imperial highway, missionizing influence, and all.—New York Post.

When Others Fail

Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up the shattered system by giving vigorous action to the digestive organs, creating an appetite and purifying the blood. It is prepared by modern methods, possesses the greatest curative powers, and has the most wonderful record of actual cures of any medicine in existence. Take only Hood's.

HOOD'S PILLS are purely vegetable, and do not purge, pain or gripe. 25c.

"Flytey tells me he enjoys his married life very much."

"Ah! I thought as much. You see he spends all his time at his club."

This Pin Cushion FREE

Is your grocer is out of them ask him to send for more.

This illustration represents a very attractive pocket pin cushion. Ask your grocer for one.

CHASE & SANBORN,
BOSTON. MONTREAL. CHICAGO.

CHINESE NOMENCLATURE.

The Names Bestowed on the Various Treaty Powers.

The Chinese, when they first knew their eastern neighbors who are now exhibiting such a restless war spirit, named them Wa people. In their histories this single word was sufficient. By change of vowel during two thousand years Wa has become Wo. In the imperial declaration of war of August 1 this is the term used, and it is brief and sufficient. The Chinese like monosyllable names for countries. The various foreign nations have, when making treaties, usually chosen the monosyllables which form their names. England, Ying kwo, means "the flourishing country," for ying, the treaty character for Great Britain, has that sense. Fa means law, and France, Fa kwo, is the "law abiding country." Germany, known as Le kwo, is "the virtuous country." The United States republic is the Mei kwo, or "beautiful country." Italy is the "country of justice," I kwo.

Each treaty nation has chosen its own name for moral effect. It has been a matter for international diplomacy, and the Chinese government has invariably given way to the wishes of each of the treaty powers as represented by its minister and the Chinese secretary. From the time that the ministers of the treaty nations had residences in Pekin the name of the country made use of in diplomatic correspondence has been, of course, that which was satisfactory to the treaty powers. The same was the case with Japan. Japan, there can be no doubt, prefers Ji pen, the "land of the rising sun," ecause it is more poetical than the name Wo, which means "submissive," "winding and twisting." On the whole, Japan wishes to be known as the land of the sun, Ji kwo, but she also likes Ji pen, which is the same with Japan, and she has not made the use of the term Wo a matter of complaint.—North China Herald.

Give the BABIES NESTLE'S FOOD
And they will grow up
TO BLESS YOU.

Sold by all Druggists & Confectioners

Take no worthless imitation. See that "TUTTI FRUTTI" IS ON EACH 5 CENT PACKAGE.

Maternity Home
(LATE SAMARITAN.)
Removed to 199 Johnson Street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or Mrs. Plumerfelt, Gorge Road.

UNDERTAKERS.

CHAS. HAYWARD
(Established 1867.)

Funeral Director and Embalmer
Government Street, Victoria.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

Fort street, between Douglas and Blanchard is closed to public traffic. By order

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Tuesday, October 23, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Herald Street between Government and Douglas Streets is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

October 2nd—tf.

NOTICE.

Douglas Street, from Pembroke Street to King's Road, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc8-tf

NOTICE.

Yates street from Langley to Wharf is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Bastion Street, from Langley to Wharf, is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Langley Street, from Courtney to Yates Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Courtney Street, from Wharf to Langley Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

JOHN MESTON,

Carriage Maker
BLACKSMITH, ETC.
Broad Street, Between Johnson and Pandora Streets.
VICTORIA, B. C.

THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."

THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."

LEGAL NOTICES.

RE JOHN GILMORE'S ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the matter of the estate of John Gilmore, and in an action, Beaven and Yates v. Ellen Gilmore, the creditors of John Gilmore, late of Nicola valley, B. C., who died in or about the month of January, 1894, are, on or before the 31st day of October, 1894, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Bodwell & Irving, of 21 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C., the solicitors of the plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorarily excluded from the benefits of the said order.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Honorable Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake at his chambers in the court house, Bastion square, Victoria, on the 9th day of November, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, that being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

Dated the 29th day of September, 1894.

HARVEY COMBE,
Deputy Registrar.

Sept. 29-td.

NOTICE.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Of portion of Suburban Five Acre Lot Eight, bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the east side of Quadra street 85 feet distant from the northeast corner of Quadra and North Park streets, thence northerly along the east side of Quadra street 69 feet, thence at right angles easterly 90 feet, thence at right angles southerly, 60 ft. thence at right angles westerly 99 ft. to the point of commencement, together with two-story dwelling thereon known as 129 Quadra St. under power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage dated the 15th day of September, 1890, and registered in Charge Book Vol. 9, Fol. 242, No. 9,424B, at the Land Registry office in the city of Victoria. Tenders addressed to the undersigned are requested for the purchase of the above described property up to 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 31st day of October.

Terms Cash.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Victoria, October 1st, 1894.

J. ST. CLAIR BLACKETT,
Agent for Mortgagee.

oct2-1m

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act and amending Acts, notice is hereby given that by indenture dated and executed on the 28th day of September, 1894, by George L. Simpson, of 94 Douglas street, in the city of Victoria, merchant, the said George L. Simpson granted and assigned his real and personal property to W. H. Bone, of 69 Government street, in the said city of Victoria, bookseller and stationer, in trust for the creditors of the said George L. Simpson. W. H. Bone executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 28th day of September, 1894. All persons indebted to the said George L. Simpson are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said trustee, and any person having any claim against the said George L. Simpson must send proof and full particulars of the same to the said trustee within one month from this date, after which the said trustee will distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims so sent in. A meeting of the creditors will be held on Thursday, the 4th day of October, at 2:30 p.m., at the office of the undersigned. W. H. Bone, of Hibben & Co., Assignee, 69 Government street.

sep28-1m

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Bowness, deceased, and in the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, bearing date the 5th day of October, A.D. 1894, I was appointed administrator of all and singular the personal estate, chattels and credits of Thomas Bowness, late of the city of Victoria, deceased intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 5th day of November, A.D. 1894, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

oct8-1mo

Land Registry Act.

Part (25x70 feet) of lot 162 Victoria City.—A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above Hereditaments will be issued to Anna Pittock on the 19th day of January, 1895 unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C. 15th October, 1894. oct15-td

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an indenture of mortgage registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C., as No. 14,547 B in Charge Book vol. II, fol. 881, tenders will be received by the undersigned not later than noon on the 16th of November, 1894, for the purchase of sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the easterly 50 acres of section 9, and the east half of section 10 in range 4, Comiaken District in Vancouver Island, continuing in all 325 acres more or less.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Dated October 15th, 1894.

LINDLEY CREASE,
16 Chancery Lane, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee. oct6-1m

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE CHARITY BALL.

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital Surpass Their Former Efforts.

Two Hundred and Fifty Couples Enjoyed Themseves at the Annual Ball.

Five hundred ladies and gentlemen attended the annual charity ball held last evening, and thereby rewarded the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee hospital for the [illegible] earnest and hard work. Everything tended to make last evening's ball the most successful yet held by the Ladies' Auxiliary. In the first place the A. O. U. W. came forward and generously offered the use of their hall free of charge, Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt agreed to shoulder the cost of the music, the ladies of Victoria supplied the supper and the members of the James Bay Athletic association decorated the hall. That all did their work well can be vouched for by those who were present last evening. Never has a ball room looked prettier than did the A. O. U. W. hall last evening. A great deal of good taste had been shown by the decorators, and when the electric light was turned on a veritable fairy scene was displayed. The hall affords good opportunities for decorating, the gallery rails last evening being covered with bunting and evergreens, while underneath were hung numerous large and small Chinese lanterns, which always lock pretty and lend much assistance in the decoration of a ball room. The orchestra platform was arranged after the style of a hot house, the members of the Richardson orchestra, who supplied the music, being almost hidden from the dancers by the large palms. Other portions of the hall, including the dining room, had been similarly decorated, the decorators having attended to even the smallest detail.

The thousands of other little things that have to be attended to to make a ball as near faultless as possible had not been forgotten, and on the whole the Ladies' Auxiliary committee—Mrs. G. A. McTavish, Mrs. Charles Hayward, Mrs. A. J. Smith and Mrs. (Captain) Rudlin—can well afford to rest on their laurels. The music was all that could be desired, being played in perfect tune, the programme was well arranged, and the dancers sat down at midnight to a supper that the most noted chef would not have attempted to improve upon. In fact the supply was so plentiful that between 12 and 2 o'clock to-day luncheon was served to a large number of gentlemen.

Among the guests last evening were the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, the officers of the navy, R. M. A., R. M. E., and B. C. B. G. A., the latter wearing their uniforms. The reception committee was composed of: Messrs. Joshua Davies, president of the hospital; F. B. Pemberton, vice-president; William M. Chudley, treasurer of the hospital, and Charles Hayward. Floor managers, J. S. Yates, W. H. Ellis and F. B. Gregory.

Besides the pleasure of attending the ball, those who were present last evening have the satisfaction of knowing that they were helping out a good cause, as there is sure to be a neat balance to present to Jubilee hospital, in aid of which the ball was held.

THE MEDIEVAL LAW.

Against Suicide Invoked in the Case of Mr. Rowbotham.

The unique suicide statute has been dusted off again, and James Rowbotham, the unfortunate grocer who three months ago, driven to desperation by chronic illness and business cares, attempted to blow his brains out, has been brought into court to answer to the law. The preliminary hearing began in the police court at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. [illegible] and with hair tinged with white, appeared in court accompanied by a friend. He sat down quietly, and outside of a little nervous twitching of his hands, made no move. An occupant of a seat at the press table said: "This horrible performance would drive an ordinary man to go and finish the job." William Smith, clerk for the accused, and Robert Dudgeon, who at the time kept the saloon next to Rowbotham's grocery store, told the story of the finding of the defendant in the store room, lying on his back in a pool of blood with a revolver at his side. Dr. Frank Hall, who attended Rowbotham at St. Joseph's hospital, also gave evidence. At the close of the harrowing recital Rowbotham was committed for trial.

Rowbotham's bail was fixed at $500, $250 to be furnished by himself and $250 by one surety. G. H. Brown qualified as the latter, and the accused was released.

Brief Locals.

—There will be initiation and work in the first degree in Peerless lodge, I. O. O. F., to-morrow night. All the applicants are requested to be present.

[illegible] evening for San Francisco, the following cabin passengers going from Victoria: C. [illegible] Mrs. Nicholson, T. G. Moody and wife, Mrs. Lubbe, Miss Dumlevy, A. J. Tiedeman, George Russell, A. H. Hedley and wife, W. B. Dunning, Colonel Robertson, P. L. Good, Mrs. J. E. Way and Mrs. C. C. Hastings.

—Robert Carrin, who burglarized the house of his old friend, W. H. Turnbull, concluded that he was losing time by awaiting the assizes and elected to take speedy trial. He appeared before Mr. Justice Crease this morning, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment. His sentence of 30 days for larceny from the Windsor hotel will run concurrently with the sentence imposed in the higher court. He will serve his sentence out at the provincial jail.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

The Events of the Day Among Amateurs and Professionals.

THE TURF.

RACONTEUR A WINNER.

London, Oct. 25.—The race for the Dewhurst plate was won by Raconteur, Kirk Connel second and Utica third.

HOUGHTON HANDICAP.

London, Oct. 25.—The race for the Houghton handicap was won by Satirical, Centurion second, Jack The Dandy third.

LACROSSE.

WILL APPEAL THE DECISION.

The executive of the Victoria lacrosse club met last evening and after some discussion decided to appeal to the provincial association from the decision given by Referee Quigley in regard to Saturday's match.

AN INDEPENDENT OPINION.

The Nanaimo Free Press speaking of Saturday's match says: "Referee Quigley declines to give any other decision with regard to Saturday's championship lacrosse match than to declare the game off on account of darkness, not admitting the same to be completed. This is of course a very unsatisfactory decision and one that is not at all likely to be accepted. Mr. Quigley has power to decide whether or not the championship should go to Victoria or whether the 11 1-2 minutes unplayed should be played."

CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The Liberals of North Grey met on Saturday and nominated Mr. John Clarke, reeve of Keppie, candidate for the house of commons.

Several convictions for the infraction of the post office act by inclosing letters in newspapers and using cancelled stamps have been secured in Ottawa district. One of the offenders, singular to say was a postal officer.

John Ahearn, a bright young man, 20 years, an electrician by trade, while taking his gun from his canoe, the trigger caught in the seat and the contents were emptied into his neck. This was up the Petewawa, 30 miles from Chalk River, on the Canadian Pacific. He was one of a shooting party. He was a cousin of Jack Ahearn, who was an operator in Vancouver and other points in British Columbia for some years. His uncle, Tom Ahearn, is head of the Ottawa electric street railway.

A Listowel dispatch says: It is almost certain that the man Chattel, arrested near Erin for the murder of Jessie Keith, near here, is the culprit. A special from Stratford says that a woman of Ailsa Craig has identified the woman's garments found on Chattel, a valise found near where the girl was murdered, a petticoat that was wrapped around the girl's throat, and a comb and brush found on the prisoner, as her stolen property. This constitutes strong evidence against the prisoner.

Nominations for the Northwest legislative assembly took place on Wednesday. As far as heard from the results are: Battleford, B. Prince and J. Clinkskill; South Regina, J. W. Smith and D. Mowat; Saltcoats, T. Eakin and T. Earlton; Souris, G. H. Knowling, by acclamation; West Calgary, A. L. Sifton, A. Lucas and O. Critchley; East Calgary, P. J. Nolan, James Bannerman, James Riley, W. J. Lindsay, and S. J. Clarke; High River, John Lineham and T. J. Boswell; Medicine Hat, E. Farron and Thomas Tweed; Red Deer, Rev. Geo. Gaetz, F. E. Wilkins and J. Simpson; Edmonton, Frank Oliver, by acclamation; St. Albert, Antoine Prince and D. Maloney; Victoria, Fraser Tims, by acclamation; Wolseley, J. P. Dell and Thomas Fleming; South Qu'Appelle, G. S. Davidson and G. H. S. Buiyea; Fort Qu'Appelle, G. F. Gumsey and Wm. Motherwell; Whitewood, A. [illegible] North Regina, David Jelly and G. W. Brown; Moose Jaw, J. H. Ross and J. E. Annable.

While in the act of riding the general store of T. Barns at Carlton, a village on the outskirts of Toronto, Jafes H. Crowther, a young Toronto crook, was fatally shot by the proprietor. He admitted his crime to the officers. His story led to the arrest of two others.

Mrs. E. H. Masters, a Salvation Army lass, attempted to kill herself in Toronto by taking Paris green.

At a meeting of the Patrons at Weston, John Brown, president of the Millers' Association, was nominated as a candidate at the approaching election to oppose Clarke Wallace.

G. F. Marter has been chosen to succeed Mr. Meredith as leader of the opposition in the Ontario house.

Chief Justice Meredith of Ontario will try his first case at St. Catharines on Monday.

The half-yearly report to be submitted to the semi-annual meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk Railway, to be held in London on October 30, has just been issued. The accounts show gross receipts of £1,695,874 as compared with £1,-890,119 for the corresponding period of 1893. The working expenses were £1,226,374 as against £1,370,697. Traffic receipts have been reduced to £469,490 from £519,432.

A dentist in Montreal is being sued by a patient for $106 damages, owing to the want of skill of the dentist in drawing a tooth. It is alleged that the plaintiff [illegible] was injured to such an extent that he was confined to the hospital for six weeks and [illegible] his situation besides.

There is considerable comment in French Canadian circles over the arrest of St. Louis, the Curran bridge contractor. The enquete is fixed for November 2.

INVADED BY COUSINS.

Parisians Afflicted This Year by a Curious Visitation.

During the summer there has been an invasion of gnats, or mosquitoes, which the French call moustiques, or, more familiarly, cousins. The plague ceased for a time when colder weather set in, but the tantalizing insects have returned again with the autumn, which has a tendency to heat. There is no means of escaping from the winged tormentors. They trouble rich and poor alike, respecting nobody, and boldly carry on their campaign of annoyance in hotels, private households, cafes, and theatres. Last year the cousins also gave a great deal of trouble, but they are now lurking about in myriads, and seem determined to continue their ravages on faces fair, plain, and ugly, so long as a vestige of summer-like sunshine remains. What is worse, no remedy can be found for the terrible fly plague. A scientific authority has been asked his opinion on the matter, and he states that the invasion is due, not as was supposed, to the wood paving, but to the abundance of water in Paris. Of late years laudable efforts have been made to increase the metropolitan supply of water, and the consequence is that billions of noxious insects have been let loose on the city. Parisians will therefore have to bear the plague. The only hope of those who have been made comparative wrecks by the ferocity of the fiendish flies is the approach of wintry weather. At present, however, there is no chance of that. The close air is charged with electricty, and after a thunderstorm with heavy showers of rain as an accompaniment, the sun bursts out again, and renews the lease of the murderous mosquito. —London Telegraph.

FREEZING BY MACHINES.

The Advantages of Mechanical Processes Now Used.

The superiority of refrigeration obtained by mechanical processes, as compared with that obtained by melting ice, appears in the facts that by it more intense cold may be maintained with perfect uniformity, that a dryer atmosphere is secured in the refrigerator box or room, that the inconvenience of frequently replenishing ice bunkers and the slop and dirt attendant upon this work are avoided, that the annoying uncertainty of ice supply and variability in the prices are avoided, that space in the rooms or boxes to be cooled is economized by substitution of a coil of pipe on walls or ceiling for the bulky ice bunker, and that the refrigeration can be employed for many purposes and places where ice cannot be used at all. Added to all this is the fact of paramount importance, that where much refrigeration is required the cost of a machine and its operation is much less than the cost of ice sufficient to do an equal amount of work.

The advantages have proved so great in practice that every brewery, packing-house, cold-storage warehouse, or other establishment requiring a large amount of refrigeration contains its individual refrigerating plant. Where consumption amounts to ten tons or more of ice daily the question of economy will be almost invariably decided in favor of the machine; if less than ten tons is required, the cost of a machine and its operation may exceed the cost of ice sufficient to do a similar amount of work. In many cases the superior quality of refrigeration obtained, its cleanliness, reliability, and convenience, or the requirement of more intense cold than ice will produce, secures the adoption of the machine. Therefore, small machines are frequently found on shipboard, in hotels and apartment houses, and in many manufactories. But most of the ice gathered from rivers and lakes or made in factories is not consumed by the few who require large quantities, but by the many, who generally require less than ten tons a day.

The effort to bring this superior refrigeration within the reach of small consumers has taken two directions—the production of small and inexpensive automatic machines and a system of supply of the refrigerant from central stations. The first has failed hitherto, because the balance of constantly varying pressures, temperatures, strength of solution, etc., is too complex a matter for purely automatic regulation. Without constant skilled attention the machine works unsatisfactorily, while the relative high cost of plant, fuel, and cooling water, in operating on a small scale, defeats economy.—Chicago Times.

—Catarrh—Use Nasal Balm. Quick, positive cure. Soothing, cleansing, healing.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—R McPeyson, M W Wilson, E W Wright, Carl Mensine, Chas Marshall, Thomas Henry, D W Davie, J Jackson, H J Buggie, Mrs Ostrander.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Hall Ross & Co, Geo McRae, D C Farwell, Perry & Turner, J J Shel Nanaimo, Mrs Ostrander.

Per steamer Umatilla from San Francisco Albion Iron Wks, Brackman & Ker M ch, D H Ross & Co, E A Morris, E B Marvin & Co, E G Prior & Co, Erskine Wall & Co, Fell & Co, Henry Croft, H W Findlay, H Lilley, Commander-in-chief H M Ships Pacific station, J & A Clearihue, J Johnston, L White & Co, Northwest Produce Co, P & Leiser, P McQuade & Son, R Baker & Son, Speed Bros, S Leiser, Shallcross Macauley & Co, Thos Bradbury, Thos Earle, T N Hibben & Co, Vale & Brooks, Wilson Bros, Wm Jackson jr & Co, Yuen Lung, Yick Yuen, Wing Lung, Chas Anderson, C S Philp, F R Stewart, McMillan & Hamilton, Winch & Bower, Wells Fargo & Co.

Interesting to Ladies.

"CAMELLINE," the peerless beautifier and preservative of the COMPLEXION received the special and unusual distinction of the highest possible AWARD OF HONOR over all competitors at the Midwinter Exposition, for purity, effectiveness and absolute freedom from injurious substances.

Use Gibbon's Toothache gum, sold druggists.

Notice to Carpenters, Plasterers and Painters.

Separate tenders will be received up to noon on Wednesday, October 31st, for the completion of nine houses in Victoria West in accordance with specifications to be seen at the [illegible]

DALBY & CLAXTON,
64 Yates street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. oct23-3t

Assignee Sale

Part of the Stock of the Estate of G. L. Simpson, Consisting of

TOYS, DOLLS, FANCY GOODS, WAGONS, BICYCLES, ETC.,

has been transferred to our store for the convenience of purchasers, where it will be disposed of at prices which will induce everyone to buy. Now is a rare chance to provide your children with objects of amusement for the winter evenings and presents for your friends with little money. Terms, cash only.

C. A. LOMBARD & CO., 81 GOVERNMENT ST.

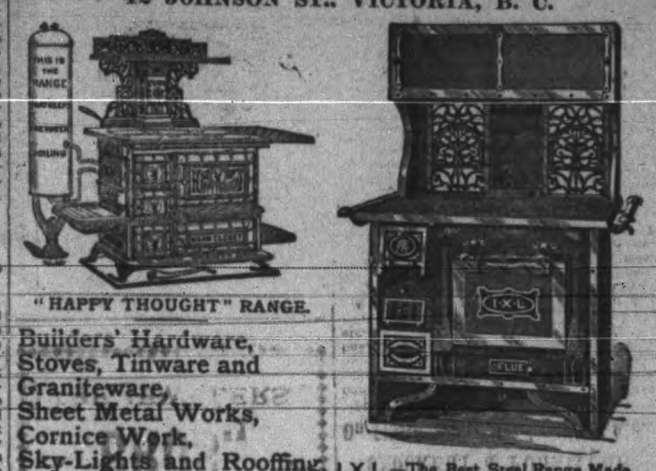
New Wellington COAL & WOOD YARD.

Spratt's Wharf. TELEPHONE 144.

C. J. V. SPRATT Agent for the New Vancouver Coal Co.

PERRY & TURNER

42 JOHNSON ST., VICTORIA, B. C.



"HAPPY THOUGHT" RANGE. I.X.L.—The Best Steel Range Made.

Builders' Hardware, Stoves, Tinware and Graniteware, Sheet Metal Works, Cornice Work, Sky-Lights and Roofing.

LADIES' BELT BUCKLES

We Have Just Received a Large Consignment of Belt Buckles of the Latest Styles.

DAVIDSON BROS., THE JEWELERS.

It's Nice For Luncheon

McLaren's Imperial Cheese, in jars for family use. Get a jar at....

Erskine, Wall & Co.'s.

DRINK TAMILKANDE TEA

Far and wide its fame is spreading,
Over village, over city;
Household word from broad Atlantic,
Unto shores of vast Pacific."

THE PEOPLE'S TEA.
IN LEAD PACKAGES.
TAMILKANDE.

SIMON LEISER & CO., Agents.

NOTICE.

A public meeting of the Irishmen of Victoria, under the auspices of the "Sons of Erin," will be held in the Pioneer Hall, Broad street, on Friday, 26th instant, at 8 p.m., to discuss the best means of receiving [illegible] and Lady Aberdeen. All Irishmen are cordially invited to attend.

RICHARD ACKLAND,
oct24-3t Hon. Secretary.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION

CROCKERY & FURNITURE

On FRIDAY, 26th October, at 11 a.m.

I will sell at my salesrooms, Wharf St., one and three quarter crates of white crockery, dining, soup, and breakfast plates, cups and saucers, vegetable and baking dishes, chamber sets, vases, stands, etc.

FURNITURE.

A good lot of furniture consisting of fine walnut suite, marble top, bedstead, bureau and wash stand, spring and hair mattresses, pillows, blankets, hall hat rack, marble, 6 walnut dining chairs and arm chair covered with leather, 1 fine parlor suite, 7 pieces, silk cover, what not, Japanese inlaid table, walnut sideboard, marble top; cane chairs and rockers, marble dining table, engravings and oil paintings, Japanese brackets, toilet sets, Brussels carpets and rugs, table cloths, handsome solid mahogany table, window blinds, cornices and curtains, flower pots, ornaments, lamps, cutlery, plate ware, tea table, fire screens, crockery, lamps, cooking and parlor stoves, meat safe, and other articles too numerous to mention.

G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

SERGE SUITS

$25.00

D. CAMPBELL & CO., 88 GOVERNMENT ST.

Beautiful Chrysanthemums

In bud and bloom, four varieties. To any part of the city for one dollar. Cut flowers and funeral designs to order.

J. T. HIGGINS, Cadboro Bay Road.